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## Record results

Teenagers at two academies congratulated on GCSE success

# Health advice is just outrageous

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TOWN councillors have condemned as 'outrageous' advice given by NHS Suffolk over the bank holiday weekend that people should only go to accident and emergency departments 'if they think they are dying'.

Members of Haverhill Town Council believe this typifies the trust's patronising attitude towards patients, especially in their own town.

The town council backed the campaign launched by the *Weekly News* earlier this year for more health provision for Haverhill, to cope with extra demand following the closure of the walk-in Crown Health Centre at the end of July.

The centre had more than 900 registered patients and had attracted 22,500 visits since it opened in 2009.

However, NHS Suffolk said it had failed in its aim of reducing visits to A&E departments from Haverhill and was too expensive at £1.2 million a year.

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## Three in a row with outstanding service

PUB licensees Brian and Dionne Walford are celebrating getting flawless marks in a mystery shopper test for the third successive time.

The couple have been running the Royal Exchange pub in High Street, Haverhill, since November 2009, and the Greene King pub has been recognised for its outstanding customer service. The pub received a flawless 100 per cent pass for the third time in a row, after a mystery customer visits regularly to rate the pub on its level of customer service and the cleanliness of the facilities.

Licensee Brian Walford

said: "Retailers know the challenge of a mystery customer visit is exactly that – it is a complete mystery as to who it will be and when they are going to show up.

"We are really proud to be recognised for looking after our customers. We know how important it is to make sure that everyone who walks through our door feels welcome."

Husband and wife Brian and Dionne have been running The Royal Exchange since 2009 and it has thrived ever since.

To find out what is on at the pub, visit [www.theroyalexchangepub.co.uk](http://www.theroyalexchangepub.co.uk)



Top marks: Dionne and Brian Walford at The Royal Exchange pub in Haverhill.

## First exhibition will be showcasing skills

A GROUP which aims to preserve and pass on precious stitch and textile skills is holding its first ever exhibition next month.

4S – The Stitch Skills Swap Shop – is a small group of skilled amateur embroidery and textile craft enthusiasts from across East Anglia, originally founded in Haverhill, who meet regularly to develop and share their skills and learn new techniques.

The exhibition takes place in the Edmunds Gallery of St Edmundsbury Cathedral in Bury St Edmunds, between September 21 and 27, by kind permission of the Dean and Chapter. It will showcase examples of the group's work including hand and machine embroidery, fabric manipulation, canvas work and silk paper and beads. The group has also dyed and painted fabrics, made and altered books and created fasciators and Diva dolls. The centrepiece will be a display of pockets and tags, the patterns of which have been inspired by the work of Jan Messant and feature design elements from the cathedral. The group meets weekly in Chevington Village Hall and activities are recorded on its blog [www.4sssswapshop.com](http://www.4sssswapshop.com)

## Man exposed himself to nine-year-old girl

POLICE are hunting a man who exposed himself to a nine-year-old girl.

The girl was playing on a field near School Lane in Kedington at around 11.30am on Tuesday, August 21. A man, possibly in his early 20s, was standing on the opposite side of the road and exposed himself to the girl, who then ran away.

The man is described as tall, wearing a red 'hoodie', blue ripped jeans and a leather belt. Calls can be made to Pc Daniel Aston on 101, or Crimestoppers, anonymously, on 0800 555 111.

## Festival comics to boost hospice fund

NEW comics direct from the Edinburgh Fringe Festival will be featured at a charity event on Saturday.

Biotech company Genzyme, of Haverhill, has sponsored the Stand-up Comedy Club event at Sturmer Hall, as part of its efforts for the St Nicholas Hospice Care Towergate Accumulator Challenge. It is one of a number of companies taking part in the challenge, in which each is given £50 to see who can produce the greatest profit from it for the hospice. The event will take place at 8pm, with doors open from 7.15pm, at the Lakeside Pavilion. Tickets are £10 and £15, with VIP tables also available from the Sturmer Hall box office on (01440) 705368.

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# Five firms into next leg of bid

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FIVE bidders have successfully made it through to the next stage of the process to decide who will maintain Suffolk's roads in the future.

The successful private company will be responsible for work such as repairing potholes, gritting winter roads and carrying out routine maintenance for at least the next five years.

The companies going through to the next phase of the bidding are Amey, Balfour Beatty Workplace, Carillion/Mott MacDonald, Enterprise Mouchel and MGWSP (May Gurney/WSP).

Cllr Guy McGregor, Suffolk County Council's cabinet member for roads, planning and transport, said: "The current arrangements for our

highways maintenance already includes using both external contractors together with in-house expertise, but this move will create a joined up and coherent arrangement for the service in the future.

"The important point to stress is that from a public point of view, the contract arrangement will secure high standards for Suffolk roads and improvements will continue to be made in the county.

"We have been clear that we will retain our area offices to keep local relationships for parishes and town councils for highways matters and by working with Norfolk County Council as a

neighbouring authority also going through this process, we have shared learning to make sure that we get the best deal for Suffolk's residents."

From April, the selected company is expected to save council tax payers £4.5 million each year.

All five companies made it through the shortlisting process after Suffolk County Council felt the quality of each submission was sufficiently high to warrant keeping them all in. The decision means more competition for those left in the process.

The council will invite all five companies for their final submissions in mid-September.

The county council's cabinet will decide on the award of the contract at its meeting on December 11.

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The trust has previously been criticised for suggesting that patients visited A&E with trivial injuries such as cut fingers and that they should seek advice from pharmacies instead of visiting a doctor.

NHS Suffolk posted an article on its website before the Bank Holiday asking: "Do you seriously think you're dying? If the answer is no, then it's likely you shouldn't be at A&E looking for medical treatment."

Will Austin, Haverhill town clerk, said the council believed that NHS Suffolk should be providing proper health services in Haverhill, rather than telling its residents not to use health services.

He said: "It has caused concern locally. We believe it indicates that NHS Suffolk is neglecting our community in its provision of health care. I just hope nobody died as a consequence.

"In Haverhill it echoes in quite a sinister way. We are being told we cannot see a doctor and now we are being told not to go

to A&E. What do we do when we are ill, go and see a chemist? We pay NHS Suffolk to provide us with doctors, so where are the doctors?

"Along with their actions in cutting health care services in Haverhill, their words show a miserable lack of respect for the needs of the community they are supposed to care for.

"Haverhill wants to know why, after they've stolen £1.2m from us, and when they've had an additional £24m from the Government this year, they can't even provide an A&E service, let alone provide us with enough GPs."

In the original article, GP Dr John Havard said: "A&E stands for accident and emergency, which means you should only be there if you've had a serious accident or you have a medical emergency.

"Having toothache isn't going to kill you and a bad back doesn't mean you're about to die. Earache isn't life-threatening and a tummy upset will pass in time.

"Staff at A&E are busy saving people's

lives – it's important their time is not wasted by people who shouldn't be there and who could be getting the right medical treatment elsewhere."

The posting was amended after complaints were received about the wording.

A spokesman for NHS Suffolk said: "The language of the message, released to the media on Monday, August 20, was too blunt and it has been removed from our website. We stand by the sentiment that A&E is for emergencies. Some people do use A&E departments across the region inappropriately, and this makes an unwanted pressure for stretched emergency departments, especially over long weekends.

"If people think they need to see a GP urgently out of hours, they should ring their surgery and they will be diverted to the out-of-hours service. Pharmacies are also open and can offer good advice and over-the-counter treatment. NHS Direct offers 24/7 advice and information on 0845 46 47."

# 'Do you seriously think you're dying?'



## Free course for unemployed

A FREE course for people who have been out of work for six months and would like to work for themselves is on offer next week.

The course will be held by Menta at its premises in Holland Road, Haverhill, in four 10am-4pm sessions on Thursday, September 6, Monday, September 10, Friday, September 14 and Monday, September 17.

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For more information or to register, call 0800 085 5090 or visit [www.menta.org.uk](http://www.menta.org.uk)

## Quiz raises charity cash

A QUIZ night raised £75 towards the Haverhill Show Charity.

Waterlogged ground forced many events to be cancelled at this year's Haverhill Show in July, leaving organisers facing a loss.

The show is the main fundraiser for LAMPH, the Haverhill-based charity for adults and children with disabilities.

The quiz night was held at Haverhill Ex-Servicemen's Club and the winning team were from the local Cats Protection League branch.

# Swimming style lands top prize

**ACTIVE** businessman Robert Haylock received a prize for his strong swimming after completing a 14km open water swim.

Robert, who runs Machine Part Engineering in Haverhill and has previously completed several long cycle rides, took part in the swim along the River Thames between Henley Bridge and Marley Bridge. A total of 200 swimmers took part, but Robert was one of only eight who did so as a 'skin swimmer' wearing only swimming costumes and not wet suits.

He was presented with his prize of a pool watch by British triathlete and four-time World Ironman champion Chrissie Wellington, who completed the swim despite having a fractured bone in her foot.

Robert said: "Wet suits are for wimps. A wet suit make it easier, it gives one buoyancy being clad in neoprene, plus the water slips over the rubber much easier than the human skin, it's about 25 per cent easier/quicker in a wet suit."

"I won the first prize up for a strong skin swimmer, coming back after failing to complete last year, when I damaged my knee the week before the swim playing cricket. I had my knee operation back in April and starting training again for the Bridge to Bridge."

The swim took in three locks and four food stops before reaching Marlow Rowing Club, with finishing times ranging from two hours 50 minutes to six hours. Robert's time was four hours 33 minutes.



Prize guy: Robert Haylock receiving his first prize for a strong swimmer from four-time World Ironman champion and world record holder Chrissie Wellington.

## Travellers' camp looks poised to be 'moved on'

TRAVELLERS are again occupying a piece of land close to a children's playground – after digging up fencing put in to stop them gaining access.

On Tuesday night, the traveller encampment of six caravans, 10 vehicles and 18 people appeared on the land off Bergamot Road, Haverhill.

It is believed to be the same travellers who occupied the land last year, provoking complaints from residents.

Will Austin, Haverhill town clerk, said he had been informed by police of the arrival of the travellers and also received a complaint from a member of the public that posts put in to block access to the site had been removed and that vehicles were churning up the land.

He said: "The relevant agencies are engaged with the travellers, including the county council's traveller liaison officer. I understand they have said that they are not expecting to stay there very long, but I am sure that various agencies will continue to monitor the site and take action to get them to leave if this is not the case."

A spokesman for St Edmundsbury Borough Council, which owns the land, said: "We can confirm that this is council owned land and that it is being illegally occupied. The travellers appear to be the group that also illegally occupied the same site last year."

"They arrived last night and dug up the fencing to gain access. There appear to be about six caravans and various other vehicles. We are working with the police and the county council's gypsy and traveller officer to assess their needs, and our intention is to move them on as quickly as possible."

# Council looking to take on building

A COUNCIL is hoping to take over the running of a large building connected to a library and make it available for community groups.

Suffolk County Council has indicated that it would like to see another group take over the running of the Burton Centre, which adjoins the library in Camps Road, Haverhill.

The running of libraries across Suffolk has recently been passed to a separate organisation.

Haverhill Town Council has already expressed an interest in taking over the building, both to secure the future of the library, and to see the largely under-used space made available to local groups.

Will Austin, Haverhill town clerk, said the county council was seeking proposals from interested

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parties for the building, which apart from some long-term users, is often unoccupied.

It was previously used as a youth centre, until the county council withdrew funding for this. It is understood that there is more than one interested party, but the town council hopes it can work with others to secure the future of the building for community use.

Mr Austin said: "The town council is very keen to run this facility."

"We would like to think we can work in partnership with other organisations and retain it as a community facility. The county council will look at submission made by interested parties and the town council will be putting in a proposal during September."

"The council would like to build on its successful acquisition of the arts centre and protect one of the most important community facilities in the town, to bring it into wider community use than is available at the moment."

"It is very much under used at present, but is a purpose-built community centre. It would protect the library, which would continue to use the building indefinitely."

"It could offer a wide range of uses that would complement the arts centre and provide much needed space to meet for local community groups and services."

"We are hoping to work with other agencies, but it would make sense for the town council to take overall responsibility, and manage it in perpetuity, considering our wide experience of the needs of the town."

## Two to appear at Crown court on arson charges

TWO MEN facing arson charges over a fire which destroyed an historic barn used as a popular regional wedding venue, are due to appear in Crown court tomorrow.

The huge blaze on June 13 at Chilford Hall, Linton, destroyed the 18th century barn, despite more than 60 firefighters working through the night to tackle it. The Alper family, who run the venue, had hoped to re-build its great hall. However, so little remained of the original building that they now plan to demolish and rebuild on

the site. Firefighters managed to stop the fierce blaze from spreading to the adjoining vineyard and winery.

Mark Hall, 27, and Thomas Richardson, 26, both from addresses in Pipers Close, Haverhill, originally appeared at Cambridge Magistrates' Court on June 21, charged with two counts of arson with intent to endanger life. Their case was sent to Cambridge Crown Court, where they will appear tomorrow.

They have not yet made any plea to the charges.



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# COMMUNITY NEWS

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## Haverhill

**Haverhill Owls WI:** Members were welcomed to the August meeting by Sue and apologies were received from Jan, Helen and Pat. Last month's minutes were approved and signed.

The WI was reminded that a walk to Withersfield had been arranged for Sunday, September 23 to be followed by lunch at the White Horse.

A trip to Ashdon Museum took place on August 21 and the dinner club's next trip was to be to the Plough at Hundon. Treasurer, Elaine, in her report on finances, confirmed that the WI now had a healthy balance of £1,200 after a very successful barn dance. Members were about to call the raffle when it was realised that no prize had materialised, but two very kind members disappeared outside and came back with a very nice prize so all went well.

A fundraising jumble sale is being organised for a Saturday in October, to be held at the library room and a

number of members have volunteered to assist. Val made an appeal for old balls of knitting wool and members were asked to bring them along to the next meeting.

Sue then introduced the speaker for the evening, Gillian Beckett, who gave a very interesting talk on de-cluttering our homes and made suggestions as to how we should start, making the point not to leave our lofts full of items.

She showed a rubber undergarment dating back to the 1930s that one of her clients had found in her loft when she was about to move. She encouraged members to start on a small scale, such as a kitchen cupboard, and at all times when de-cluttering to ask "Do I love it? Do I need it? Does it enhance my life?" If the answer is no, no no, then out it must go.

She finished her talk with a lighthearted quiz, asking members to price various items she had with her, to put onto eBay.

**Haverhill Walking For Health Group:** A group of walkers met up for a midsummer dinner to celebrate another successful year.

Haverhill Walking For Health Group (HWHG) leads fortnightly walks for people who recognise the health benefits of walking. The walks are free and open to anyone.

In association with Abbeycroft Leisure's Active St Eds campaign HWHG leaders will also be available at 10am on Monday and Thursday mornings, in school term time, to assist people to gain confidence and a degree of fitness through walking. They can help all abilities, for example those who find shopping trips or walking to the bus stop difficult.

The initiative called Walking for Beginners starts on Monday, September 10 at 10am when anyone is welcome to turn up at East Town Country Park. Walkers will be able to walk accompanied by HWHG volunteers for as long as they wish.

This is an opportunity to use walking as an aid to becoming more active, to help with losing weight or to achieve a greater degree of fitness. On Thursdays the activity takes place on the Recreation Ground in Camps Road, meeting at the bandstand at 10am.

As walkers develop confidence and a degree of fitness, HWHG has a programme of local walks starting from town venues providing graded challenges, and also village walks of about one hour.

Contact the organiser David on (01440) 704591.



Exam success: dancers from the Ballet Shoe Workshop, above and below.

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## Dancers show their exam perfection

**YOUNG dancers kept up their 100 per cent pass rate in their latest examinations.**

Pupils of the Ballet Shoe Workshop took their exams in June, which were assessed by an external IDTA examiner. 172 exams were taken over the two days with a 100 per cent pass rate.

The school celebrated its examination success with two presentations of classwork to parents and then presentations of awards to the pupils. The group reached its milestone of 20 years of dancing in February.

Pupils from the age of three to 23 took exams in ballet, freestyle and

dancercise.

Principal Alison Law said: "All pupils had been working extremely hard in preparation for their exams."

"We are pleased to announce that our first pupil has qualified as a teacher, so congratulations goes to Issy Proffitt who was awarded her

Associate Freestyle with Honours (90 per cent). Also congratulations go to Harriet Reynolds who was awarded the second part of her Pre-Associate exam with 87 per cent.

"When we return in September pupils will again be hard at work rehearsing for our annual Christmas performance."



Sitting comfortably: Haverhill Walking For Health Group dinner.

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## A youthful scene to take over the square

THE market square in Haverhill was transformed as ramps, a climbing wall and music from DJs kept youngsters amused.

The Skate Jam event was staged in town by St Edmundsbury Borough Council in conjunction with Haverhill Town Council and the One Haverhill group.

Free activities included a street football cage, ramps for bikes, skateboards and roller skaters, workshops in beat boxing, break dancing, street dance and drumming.

These were all available from 12pm to 6pm on Thursday, August 16.

A street art project was also held on Tuesday and Wednesday, when youngsters worked with well-known street artist Kevin Parker, to create new large scale art works for the back of ramps at Haverhill's skate park in Howe Road.



On the street: the Skate Jam event in Haverhill, with the climbing wall, inset.

CP

## A countryside theme at fayre

SHEEPDOGS and a top pipe band will be among the attractions at an annual village event with a countryside theme.

Thurlow Fayre will be staged on Sunday on the Recreation Ground, with Tom Long, who has 20 years' experience of sheepdog handling, as a main attraction in the arena.

A mix of music will be provided by Glenmoriston Pipe Band in the main ring, Hadstock Silver Band by the tea tent, Nice Manors Band on the pavilion patio and also performances by local troupe Fire and Ice Majorettes.

Children are well catered for throughout the afternoon with Dangerous Steve Unicycle Juggler, the ever popular Doc Spinoff Circus Skills, Reptile Experience, face painting, train rides, toddler rides and the thrills and spills of Giant Slide and Bouncy Castle, as well as other side stalls.

New features this year include a craft fair, classic car display, zorbing and visitors are also encouraged to try archery.

The Fun Dog Show is once again open to owners to see whether their pet can win one of the classes.

Thurlow Stores will launch a range of branded Thurlow products, while visitors are encouraged to vote from a selection of pictures for the Thurlow 2013 calendar which will be found within the Produce Show Tent.

Admission prices remain at adults £2 and children 50p, while the car boot sale is again £10 per car, for which people are advised to come early.

For further details visit [www.thurloulfayre.org.uk](http://www.thurloulfayre.org.uk)

# £148m lottery winners face a mountain of mail

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LOTTERY millionaires Adrian and Gillian Bayford were back in their Haverhill music shop – beginning to sort through the sacks of mail asking for financial aid which have arrived since their huge win was revealed.

Adrian, 41, was back behind the counter of the Suffolk Music Centre in Queen Street, accompanied by wife Gillian, 40, and children Cameron, 4, and Aimee, 6, last Thursday.

Two weeks ago it was revealed that the couple had scooped the £148 million EuroMillions jackpot, the second biggest payout ever in the UK, behind Ayrshire couple Colin and Chris Weir, who scooped £161.6m in July 2011.

It also puts them in 516th position in the *Sunday Times* Rich List, with more money than former Beatle Ringo Starr or Sir Tom Jones.

The down-to-earth Bayfords have already shown that the new-found wealth has not gone to their heads.

They gave the media the slip when they were whisked away from Down Hall Country House Hotel, near Bishop's Stortford, by helicopter, and by shunning exotic sunspots and heading for a caravan park in Scotland instead.

Adrian stood smiling in the doorway of the shop, which has been in the charge of his business partner Richard Hudspith for the past week, with friends and passers-by stopping to shake his hand and congratulate him.



Champagne moment: Gillian and Adrian Bayford, from Haverhill, who won £148 million on the EuroMillions lottery.

Gillian pledged to 'make others smile' by sharing their good fortune with friends and family, but hundreds of letters have been delivered to the shop this week from people hoping for some of the cash.

There has even been an email scam, claiming to be from the Bayfords, asking for people's bank details so that they could receive money from them.

Despite a whirlwind of events since he realised he had bought his winning ticket at the nearby Premier Convenience Store, Adrian said the big win had still not fully sunk in.

He felt they had no option but to go public.

He told the *Weekly News*: "You might be able to keep £4 million or £5 million quiet, but not £148 million."

"I have just come back to the shop for a couple of hours to try to sort out some of the mail and hopefully get back to some sort of normality."

"We just want to get on with everyday life. We have had a lot of media attention up in Scotland, but hopefully it will die down a bit now."

"There are letters here from all over the world, but you can't help everyone. There have even been people coming over from France and Germany to deliver letters in person. We have some ideas of people we would like to help, but we have not made any decisions yet."

"Everyone in the town has been pleased for us and we do plan to stay here, but we do have to think about security now, especially for the children."

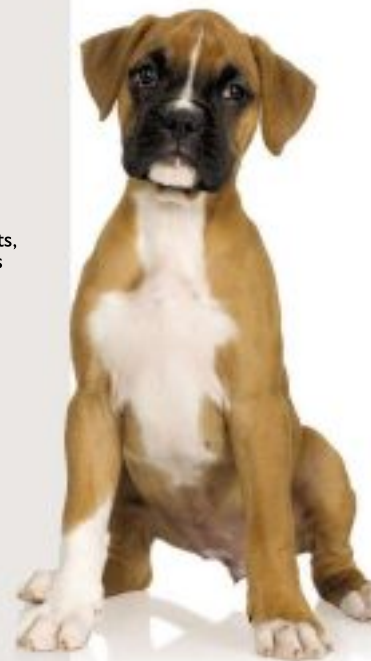
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## Thank you to all of our volunteers

Sir, 3 Counties Transport held their annual get together for all their volunteers in the garden of the Wrattling Red Lion. This was to say thank you for all their time that the volunteers give up to transport people in the community to and from their health appointments, shopping and social trips. We held a picnic and had a great free raffle. We would also like to thank Tesco for giving us a voucher towards the food and all the local shops and businesses that donated the wonderful raffle prizes and lastly, to the staff at the Red Lion pub who always allow us to use their splendid garden. We had a great time and the sun came out for us. If you are interested in joining us please telephone for details 01440 712028. Thank you.

Lyn Burgess

3CT Community Transport Manager

## Help the disabled

Sir, It would be nice if Haverhill shopping centre had a disabled shop, as we have to go out of town to buy our equipment. There are a lot of disabled people in Haverhill who are unable to get the things they want, and some are unable to drive to other towns.

Mrs L. Horobin  
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## MEMORIES

■ THIS week's picture, taken from our archives, shows some colourful bonnets.

Do you recognise anyone in the picture or know what they were doing that day?

Send your answers to: Memories, Haverhill Weekly News, 4 Queen Street, Haverhill, CB9 9EF by Tuesday morning, or email editorial@haverhillweeklynews.co.uk

Last week's Memories picture, below, showed five-a-side champions from Parkway School, Haverhill, in November, 1992.

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## The costs add up but there are ways to get support ahead of the school term



My children are starting at a new school this September and since the recession our finances have been squeezed almost to breaking point already. Is there any help available for things like buying school uniforms?

Citizens Advice's Adding Up campaign was set up to challenge schools to help families by following these simple recession-busting tips:

1. If you feel your child's school isn't doing enough to keep costs down, raise the issue with the school management team. Draw their attention to the Schools Admissions Code, and keep copies of all correspondence.
2. If you're not happy with the response, approach the school's governing

**In this regular feature, the Haverhill branch of Suffolk West Citizens Advice Bureau looks at the Adding Up campaign which helps families to keep costs down when sending their children to school.**

body. They should have a complaints procedure in place which will deal with issues such as complaints about uniform policies.

3. You can also raise the issue with the Schools Admissions Forum in your area. Your local authority should be able to give you details.
4. If your school has an exclusive contract with a uniform supplier which prevents you from buying 'off the peg' items at a cheaper rate, ask them to review this.
5. If they refuse to change this policy then they may be subject to enforcement action by the Office of Fair Trading:

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6. If you are concerned that excessive school costs are affecting your decision to send your child to a particular school then you can object to the Schools Adjudicator: www.schoolsadjudicator.gov.uk
7. Suggestions you can make to your child's school for how to keep costs fair and low could include: Making sure uniform is available from a range of outlets; Providing sew-on or iron-on badges that can be put on plain clothing; Encourage second-hand uniform sales or

- swap schemes; Providing budgets for the year in September so parents can plan ahead; Being transparent about which contributions are voluntary.
8. If you are really struggling with buying school uniform or PE kit for your child(ren), apply to your local authority for a School Uniform Grant.
9. If you have difficulties with any of the above steps your local Citizens Advice Bureau can help. Many bureaux are already trying to influence the work of local Schools Admissions Forums as part of our Adding Up campaign.
10. For more information visit: <http://www.citizensadvice.org.uk/addingup/campaign>

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# Firms team up for Thurlow 10

BY JO DEEKS

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A 10k running race taking place in October is being sponsored by a firm of estate agents and other local companies.

The Thurlow 10 race, organised by Haverhill Running Club, is returning for a second year.

This year's event, sponsored by Samuel's Estate agents, JMP Furniture Solutions and Sweatshop, will take place on Sunday, October 21 at 10am.

The Thurlow 10 race is held on quiet country lanes and farm tracks, giving runners fantastic views of the scenic farmland and woods that surround the village.

Trevor Bunch, the race organiser, said: "We are very grateful for the support of these companies as it allows us to plan a better quality race for the runners."

"The running club would like to thank the Thurlow Estates for allowing us access to private tracks, without



Helping out: Nigel Phillips, left, and John Fowler, right, directors of Samuel's estate agents, present a sponsorship cheque to Trevor Bunch of Haverhill Running Club.

which the race could not go ahead.

"We've worked hard to find a nice course, one that people will hopefully enjoy whether they are coming to compete or just wanting to appreciate the scenery."

Entries are now open and cost £10 for runners affiliated to England Athletics, or £12 for unaffiliated runners. Forms can be downloaded from

[www.haverhillrunningclub.org.uk](http://www.haverhillrunningclub.org.uk) or obtained from Haverhill Leisure Centre. People can also enter online at [www.runnersworld.co.uk](http://www.runnersworld.co.uk). For further information email [Thurlow10@gmail.com](mailto:Thurlow10@gmail.com)

The club is still seeking additional sponsors and would like to hear from anyone interested in sponsoring the race or able to provide event services.

## Easier to organise recycling

NEW brightly coloured bags to make recycling easier are being given out at household waste sites.

The 3,000 'Sort and Save' bags will be given away at household waste recycling centres across Suffolk to help organise recycling with added ease.

On Monday from 1.15-4.15pm, bags will be handed out at the Haverhill site in Coupals Close.

Suffolk householders will be able to use the bag to make storing and recycling a wide range of small or one-off items a lot more convenient.

The bags have been designed to fit easily on a worktop and have two small, one medium and one large compartment for separating and sorting a range of items that can be recycled at HWRCs.

Items can include empty aerosol cans, light bulbs, batteries, electrical items such as a radio or table lamp, cartons, glass, tools, tupperware, CDs and DVDs, pots and pans, toys, and other plastic items.

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Winner: Dot Robertson receiving the first for 'Beachcomber'.



Well done: Mary Griffiths receives the Barbara Webb Trophy for Best Use of Garden Plant Material.

# Displays attract a record turnout for annual show

BY JO DEEKS

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BEAUTIFUL blooms filled an arts centre as a flower club held its annual show, with record numbers of visitors attending.

For the eighth consecutive year, Haverhill and District Flower Club held its event over last weekend at Haverhill Arts Centre.

There was a wonderful array of flower displays, with exhibitors welcomed from as far afield as St Albans, Stowmarket and Mildenhall.

Mayor of St Edmundsbury Cllr Tim Marks officially opened the show on Friday, August 17, with Cllr Ernie Goody representing the Mayor of Haverhill and specially invited guests such as the president and the chairman of the East of England Area Association of NAFAS.

The club welcomed 21 exhibitors, staging 36 displays, with class titles such as 'The Witching Hour', 'With a Thread of Colour Running Through', 'Beachcomber' and 'Garden Treasures'.

Judging was by Mrs Lois Gill, an accredited NAFAS national judge and the chairman of the national judging committee. Winner of the most prizes was Caroline Barnes from Stowmarket.

The winners in each class were: Class 1 'Garden Treasures' - Diana Issacson;



Trio: Caroline Barnes receiving the trophies for Best in Show, Runner-up to Best in Show and Most Innovative Design.

Class 2 'With a Thread of Colour Running Through' - Caroline Barnes; Class 3 'Beachcomber' - Dot Robertson; Class 4 'The Witching Hour' - Caroline Barnes.

Trophies won were: Haverhill Weekly News Trophy for Best in Show - Caroline Barnes; Challenge Cup for Runner-up to Best in Show - Caroline Barnes; Barbara Webb Trophy for Best Use of Garden Plant Material - Mary Griffiths; Audley End Cup for Best Use of Colour - Pat Hammond; Bower Hall Shield for Best Exhibit in the Novice Class - Diana Issacson; 50th Anniversary Cup for the Most Innovative Design - Valerie Phillips, of the flower club, said: "We are

very proud of this show, which is much admired within the East of England Area Association of NAFAS.

"Our club is very grateful for the support received from Haverhill Town Council.

"This year we had record number of visitors, well above any previous year. We are now looking ahead at next year's show.

"Our club was founded 49 years ago and next year we will be celebrating our 50th anniversary, so it is a very special time for us.

"This year we were honoured to be involved in the Flower Festival at the new St Felix Catholic Church.

"So many visitors came to see the displays, even a lady from South Africa."



Award: Pat Hammond receiving the trophy for Best Use of Colour.



# Mark is feeling inspired by film

BY JO DEEKS

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AN AWARD-winning tattoo artist is the subject of the latest work by Suffolk-based director, Mark A Allard.

Mark, from Haverhill, has released the first episode of an on-going online film series called From Reverie.

The series focuses on artists and creatives - From Reverie: Episode One stars an award-winning tattoo artist and a star of the global metal scene amongst others.

Featured in the 16-minute film are fellow Haverhill resident and tattoo artist Graham Woodley, multi-instrumentalist Iain Watt, heavy metal guitarist for Nightmare Records/Sony RED band Halcyon Way Jon Bodan and winner of Tattoo Freeze 2012's Best Portrait award Kat Wilson of Hello Sailor Tattoo Studio in Blackpool.

From Reverie features artists from around the UK and also America, in the form of Jon Bodan. Through a friendship, Mark managed to secure an exclusive meeting with Jon and his band on their recent high-profile tour of the UK. He interviewed Jon in the Angel area of Islington, London and even directed a concert



Inspired: film director Mark A Allard.

film entitled *Live in London* for the band. Making the film even more special is that it features exclusive, never-before-seen footage from the multi-camera concert film.

Jon speaks about how it can be tough for break-through bands, about his personal battle against lymphoma in 2010 and overcoming the illness to return to a stronger than ever band presence.

Mark said: "I thought it was an absolutely great experience, working alongside such intellectual, thoughtful minds."

"I've always been inspired by modern art and this was a good way to give an opportunity to some artists that have inspired me to have a different medium, in which to speak openly about what they do, how

they feel about their art forms and topics that they feel strongly about."

"I set out with dreams, as a director, and meeting and working with big international bands like Halcyon Way is of course any metal-head's dream - even more so for a fan. All the artists involved are just fantastic people."

Mark's previous work includes 2011's Parkour Documentary *We Run These Streets*, which focused on the personal journeys of four Parkour athletes and received publicity in the USA, Russia, Korea and via Urban Freeflow the world's biggest Parkour journal and one of the biggest extreme sports publications.

To view the film visit [www.youtube.com/user/FinalFightFilms](http://www.youtube.com/user/FinalFightFilms)

## Stolen bike is left burnt out

A MOTORCYCLE stolen from a house was later found burnt out. The silver Yamaha motorcycle was stolen from a property in Duddery Road, Haverhill, some time between 5am and 5.25am on Saturday. It was later found abandoned and burnt out on a footpath near the park on Rushmere Place.

Anyone who witnessed this incident or who has any information is asked to contact the Crime Investigation Bureau on 101.

## Thieves take blue Corsa

A CAR was stolen from a communal parking area during the night. Some time between 9pm on Sunday and 9.30am on Monday, unknown offenders stole a blue Vauxhall Corsa, registration number N561 GAR from the car park in St James Court, Haverhill.

Contact the Crime Investigation Bureau on 101.

## Display will be delightful

A DISPLAY of Autumn Delights' will be hosted by a flower club on Monday. The demonstration for Haverhill and District Flower Club by Brenda Evers will start at 7.30pm at Haverhill Arts Centre. Doors open at 7pm and visitors are welcome at £6, including refreshments.

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## Bike burned out in 'arson attack'

A BURNED-out motorbike was the end result of what is believed to be an arson attack in Haverhill.

Firefighters were called to Rushmere Place at 5.11am on August 25 and arrived to find the bike almost destroyed.

Crews extinguished remaining flames and made the scene safe ahead of leaving shortly before 6am.

Police have been informed as the fire is believed to be suspicious. Any witnesses should call police on 101.



# Slimmer is praised by Strictly star Robbie

HAVERHILL slimmer Kelly Jenkins won congratulations from former footballer and TV pundit Robbie Savage after losing almost four stones.

The 20-year-old from Haverhill shed 3st 13lb and was delighted to make the final 38 in a Slimming World competition, voted through by fellow members, from all 10,000 Slimming World groups across the UK and Ireland.

The competition recognises the enormous achievements of young people aged 15-21.

Kelly joined the Haverhill Slimming World group in January 2011.

She said: "I often felt like people were staring at me because I was bigger than everyone else and I've been called names."

"My confidence was really low, I knew that I needed to make changes and I knew I needed help."

"I went to Slimming World with my mum and grandad. When I first started everyone was friendly and helpful."

"It was much easier than I expected to start making

BY JO DEEKS

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healthy choices and I soon realised that I didn't need to make drastic changes, just small things like swapping white bread for wholemeal or Coca Cola for Diet Coke made a big difference.

"The encouragement I got in the group from the other members and my consultant Tania really kept me going."

Kelly was presented with a certificate and gift for her success in the competition, which was held at Slimming World's head office in Derbyshire, where she met former *Strictly Come Dancing* star Robbie, who came along to make the day extra special for the young people taking part.

Robbie, who featured on the BBC's Olympic coverage, said: "It's been brilliant being involved in the London 2012 Olympics this summer because it's reminded me of the amazing things that people can achieve when they set their minds to it."

"I'm equally in awe of the young slimmers I've met, like



Meet a star: Kelly Jenkins with Robbie Savage at the competition and, above left, before she began slimming. CP

ever in their lives. For someone so young to set themselves a goal and achieve it like Kelly has done is something to be very proud of."

Tania Watson, who runs the Haverhill Slimming World group which Kelly attends, said: "Everyone is so proud of Kelly. What she's achieved is so much more than just losing weight."

"Some young people may have made several attempts to manage their weight without success, often because they've tried faddy diets that leave them hungry and that are just too difficult to stick to in the long run."

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Cheque it out: Haverhill Golf Club ladies' section captain Doreen Darbey and past captain Marian Mercer with St Nicholas Hospice Care Community Fundraiser Ian Norris.

## Hospice funds given boost

A SUCCESSFUL annual ladies' golf day raised more than £1,100 for St Nicholas Hospice Care.

The event, held by Haverhill Golf Club in June, saw teams from 15 different clubs across the eastern counties play.

Ladies' section captain Doreen Darbey visited the Hospice last Friday to hand over a cheque. She said: "Most of the £1,120 was raised on the day, but we also received some

generous donations from Haverhill Golf Club members.

"I chose to support the hospice because my husband died here three years ago."

The ladies golf day is always organised by the previous captain, so Marian Mercer was charged with ensuring everything ran smoothly.

Ian Norris, St Nicholas Hospice Care Community Fundraiser, thanked everyone who had been involved.

# Golfers to unite in bid to help causes

GOLFERS will be teeing off to raise money for two charities on Saturday, September 8.

The annual Charity Golf Classic, organised in association with the *Weekly News*, by Haverhill Golf Club and Haverhill and District Rotary Club, will take place at Haverhill Golf Club.

The two main beneficiaries will be the East Anglian Air Ambulance and St Nicholas Hospice.

So far, the annual golf day has raised more than £130,000 through the support of local people and businesses.

Organisers give special thanks to main event sponsors, Saffron Insurance, The Willow Business Centre and Red Side Up. Havebury Housing Partnership has kindly donated £100 and other local businesses have donated prizes for the raffle and auction.

This year's raffle prizes include an

BY JO DEEKS

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iPad, donated by Haverhill Golf Club's past president Chris Briggs, a Kindle donated by club manager Karen Wilby, a reflexology voucher donated by HGC Member Anna Fairhead and Argos vouchers.

The auction items include a glider flight, two premier tickets to any meeting for 2013 Newmarket Races, a DAB digital radio signed by Ian Wright and nine four-ball green fee vouchers at various golf clubs in the East Anglia region.

It will be a fun day for all the golfers, as the format has changed this year to a 1pm shotgun start, so all the teams will be playing on the golf course at the same time.

As well as main team prizes, there will be nearest the pin prizes on all short holes, and a 'double your

money' opportunity if you hit the green on the 16th with your tee shot.

The golf competition will be followed by a two-course meal for the competitors with prize-giving and auction afterwards.

Those participating in the golf competition are invited to bring along guests to the evening entertainment (free admission) which starts at 8pm with El Rico's magic show. The evening will conclude with live music from All Of A Sudden playing cover versions from the 60s, 70s and 80s.

Places are still available for teams to enter - forms are available from the golf club and on the website at [www.club-noticeboard.co.uk/haverhill](http://www.club-noticeboard.co.uk/haverhill). Anyone interested in sponsoring the event should call Karen Wilby at the golf club on (01440) 761951 for further details.

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## Students at two academies celebrate their GCSE results



Well done: students celebrate their GCSE results at Samuel Ward Academy.

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High achievers: Samuel Ward students Thomas Giles and James Boulton.

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# Top results are the

BY JO DEEKS

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PUPILS at Samuel Ward Academy in Haverhill achieved outstanding success with their best ever set of results.

Students achieved 70 per cent 5A\*-C with English and maths at GCSE whilst 93 per cent of students achieved 5A\*-C.

The town's Castle Manor Academy saw 91 per cent of students achieving 5 or more A\*-C grades, with many students achieving the top A\* and A grades.

Individual successes at Samuel Ward include Bartie Shirm (8A\*s and 2As), Charlotte Williams (7A\* and 3As), Linda Sowa (5A\* and 3As), Cameron Floyd (1A\*, 6As and 2Bs), Charlotte Kowalski (1A\*, 6As and a B) and James Boulton (1A\*, 5As and 2Bs).

Vice-principal Andy Prestoe said: "These are the best GCSE results that the Academy has ever had."

"We are incredibly proud of the achievement of our pupils and the fact that so many did well in other academic subjects like history, languages and science in addition to English and maths is a real plus for their future employment and college prospects."

"I am delighted for the pupils, their very supportive parents and the staff."

At Castle Manor, principal Madeleine Vigar was full of



Happy: Samuel Ward students Charlotte Williams and Linda Sowa.

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enthusiasm for the achievements of the young people.

She said: "This is an important day for these young people and represents a key step in their journey through education."

"We are really proud of the hard work that students and staff have put into these results and hope to see many of the students next year in our sixth form."

This year is the first set of results for the new Castle Manor Academy and launches them into an exciting period of change.

Madeleine Vigar has already shared the Academy's vision for a new state of the art building with the town council, and the plan is part of St Edmundsbury Borough

Council's Vision 2031 document.

Madeleine Vigar said: "We have an Academy full of passionate, capable and proud young learners and the next step for us is to give them a state of the art Academy building to be proud of."

"Our plan is to create a new building on our extensive site."

"We already have the starting blocks in place to make this more than a dream and now need to secure funding to provide a facility the town can be truly proud of."

Some result successes were Victoria Aberly (12A\*-C including 1A\* and 6As), Alice Edwards (12 A\*-C including 4As), Cian Harris (13A\*-C including 6As), Lydia

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## Teenagers at Samuel Ward and Castle Manor are congratulated on their achievements



Anxious moment: the scene at Castle Manor Academy last Thursday morning, and right, a student is happy with his results.



# rewards for efforts

Marsh (13A\*-C including 7As), Ryan Sharkey (11A\*-C, all at A or A\*) and Jack Vernon (13A\*-C including 6A\*s and 4As).

Charlotte Williams, who lives on the Arrandene estate at Haverhill, said: "It is more than I was expecting, although I was expecting to do quite well, so I am very pleased."

"It was a lot of hard work for a couple of weeks. I am going to do A-levels in chemistry, physics, biology and maths."

"I want to go to university, but I am not sure what I want to study there yet."

Linda Sowa, of Osprey Road, Haverhill, said: "My results were what I was expecting so I am happy with them."

"I don't think the exams have got easier, I put a lot of effort into getting good grades."

"I am going to do physics, maths and geography A-levels, and then go to university, but I don't know what I want to do there."

At Castle Manor, Jack Vernon said: "I was pleased with my results, they were higher than I expected."

"I did a lot of work in school, but did not do that much before the exams. I just went in hoping for the best and it seems to have paid off."

"I am taking A-levels in English language and literature, government and politics and media, and then I will go on to university and see where it takes me."

Ryan Sharkey, of St Botolphs



Hard work: Castle Manor pupils Lydia Marsh, left, and Jessica Christie.

Way, Haverhill, said: "I am definitely pleased, it is a bit more than I expected."

"We had to stay behind and do extra work for science. I am taking maths, biology, chemistry and history at A-level and then I want to go to medical school."

Jessica Christie, from Kedington, said: "It was a bit more than I expected and above my predicted grades, so I am really pleased. It was a lot of hard work."

"I am going to Long Road to do

history, English language and psychology. I want to go to university and then do journalism."

Lydia Marsh, from Arrandene Road, Haverhill, said: "It was a lot of hard work, I stayed on at school to study."

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# Unlucky breaks, but I still found Eldorado



Battling on: Julie Fernandez at Bee Crafty.

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**Born 10 weeks early, with brittle bone disease, Julie's life expectancy was so short her parents were given the option of leaving her in hospital. But she defied the odds to become a successful actor – including a memorable role in iconic sitcom *The Office* – and a tireless campaigner for disability rights. Interview by ALICE RYAN**

As the black cab drew up at the station, actor Julie Fernandez grabbed her bag and got to her feet. The instant she stood up, she heard a sickening crack, felt a rush of pain – and knew her right leg was broken.

"I was on my way back from giving a talk at the British Film Institute on disability equality," says the TV star, with a wry laugh. "I heard the crack and knew immediately what it was: a freak fracture. So I said to the cab driver 'forget the station – I think we should go to A&E'."

"I spent the next four months lying in bed in my living room and it was boring as hell. But you just have to get used to that kind of thing: you have to get on with it, don't you?"

Julie – best known for her roles as Brenda in hit mockumentary *The Office*, and Nessa in the ill-fated soap *Eldorado* – has brittle bone disease. Throughout her life, she has suffered a frightening 100 fractures and been through more

than 70 operations.

Determined not to let her disability hold her back, Julie, who uses a wheelchair, has become a flag-flyer for equal rights: despite all her health problems, she has forged a high-profile career path as an actress, public speaker and campaigner.

Julie and husband Andrew are also foster parents; they've opened their home to some half a dozen teenagers in the last two years alone. And Julie, a keen crafter, recently opened a shop with business partner Sarah Payne: based in the village of Ellington, near Huntingdon, it's called Bee Crafty. As well as selling all manner of materials, from beads and buttons to fabric, Julie and Sarah run frequent workshops, teaching skills from patchwork to jewellery making.

"When I was stuck in bed for all those months a friend bought me a patchwork kit," explains Julie, 37. "It was brilliant: it gave me something to do and stopped me going insane..."

Julie explains that her challenges began the day she was born – dangerously premature, at 10 weeks early. Rushed to a specialist natal unit, both her femurs fractured during a hip test. That's when doctors realised she had brittle bone disease.

"My parents were told my life expectancy was two years old, and that they could expect to have to carry me everywhere until then on a pillow. They were given the option to leave me in hospital, which is hard to believe now. There was a real lack of understanding of my condition in those days."

"My mum took me home, fed me up and, instead of growing weaker, I went from strength to strength. She learned all kinds of alternative therapies, including reflexology, and she used to treat me at home. There's no doubt in my mind that made an enormous difference."

Wanting their daughter to lead as normal and full a life as possible, Julie's parents refused to wrap her up in

cotton wool. Explaining that her bones are so brittle, a gentle tap could break her wrist, Julie says she suffered seemingly endless fractures as a child: "I'd end up having to lie flat for six to eight weeks at a time. It was tough."

"I can remember being eight and in a full body cast," she continues. "My mum got a thick duvet, folded it up on the kitchen floor, put me on it and presented me with a bowl of washed-up plates and a tea towel. As far as she was concerned, having a disability didn't mean I couldn't achieve things."

Defying doctors' predictions, Julie went on to become a pupil at Hampshire's Lord Mayor Treloar School and College where, as at home, 'disability was never used as an excuse not to do something'. It was while at Treloar that Julie caught the acting bug: she was part of the first group of disabled students ever to study drama GCSE.

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■ Bee Crafty has just turned one and, to celebrate, Julie and Sarah asked their customers to help stitch two 'community quilts', which are now being raffled in aid of two local charities: Julie nominated the Papworth Trust, which supports people with disabilities, and Sarah, who has a hearing impairment herself, selected The Cambridge and Huntingdon Deaf Children's Society.

"We wanted to give something back to the local community," explains Sarah. "Everyone has made us welcome and so many people have supported the business. Both Julie and I are passionate about the impact craft can have on people's lives. My husband died suddenly – he was killed in a car accident, aged 30 – and I felt totally lost. A friend bought me a cross-stitch kit to give me something to do and as soon as I started I was hooked. I think it helped me through the grieving process."

Raffle tickets for Bee Crafty's two 'community quilts' – like the quilt pictured here – are now on sale. Tickets, priced £1, can



Every little helps: Julie with Sarah at Bee Crafty. 850806

be bought direct from Bee Crafty – at Suite 5, The Granary, Brook Farm, Thrapston Road, Ellington, Huntingdon, PE28 0AE – or by calling the shop on (01480) 891746. Proceeds will be divided between the Papworth Trust, the charity which supports people with

disabilities to have equality, choice and independence in their lives ([www.papworth.org.uk](http://www.papworth.org.uk)), and The Cambridge and Huntingdon Deaf Children's Society (CHDCS), a small support charity run by volunteer parents from all over Cambridgeshire.

levels, *Eldorado*, the BBC soap set on the Costa del Sol, came calling. The casting team contacted the school looking for an actor to play Vanessa, a teenage girl who hated schoolwork, liked boys – and also happened to use a wheelchair.

"She was very like me in many ways," laughs Julie. "I auditioned and got the job! And thank god I did: I wasn't at all academic, so if *Eldorado* hadn't happened I don't know what I would have done. I flew out to Spain a few weeks later to start filming, so it was quite a whirlwind."

Starring alongside big names like Jesse Birdsall (who played the dastardly Marcus Landy, seen sailing off into the sunset with puppy-dog girlfriend Pilar in the final episode), Julie was famous overnight: "The press followed me everywhere. It was quite a culture shock, going from the confines of boarding school to that."

When *Eldorado* was scrapped, amid complaints of poor plotlines and shoddy acting, Julie admits it was a genuine sadness. "The show took time to get going and by the end it had so many fans: there are still people campaigning now to bring it back."

Another career highlight was scooping the role of Brenda in series two of *The Office*, the award-winning brainchild of Ricky Gervais and Stephen Merchant. "That was such fun to work on," says Julie. "The executive producer was someone I knew from school, so it was a very relaxed atmosphere for me: by the time I joined the cast, having someone on the team with a disability was nothing new."

"It was a ground-breaking series in lots of ways – and it opened up a real discussion about disability equality, which was brilliant."

The second series of *The Office* happened to coincide with the implementation of a Disability Discrimination Act focused on providing equal access to goods and services. In one scene, David Brent (Gervais) and Gareth (Mackenzie Crook) attempt to carry Brenda downstairs as part of a fire drill; deciding it's too much like hard work, they abandon her half-way down the staircase. Yes, says Julie, it was funny – but there could be no clearer illustration of the repercussions of inadequate access.

"Wherever I want to go, whatever I want to do, I have to plan ahead and work out the logistics," she adds. "I'm always saying that people with disabilities make great employees: they're brilliant at solving problems and strategising their way round things... They have to be."

Although Julie has always pledged to live life to the full, she admits there was a time, in her 20s, when she wondered if she'd ever find love.

"Men are generally a lot more body conscious than women when it comes to their partners. I did wonder if I'd ever meet anyone who'd have the understanding and kindness required. And then I found Andrew, and he's just amazing."

Meeting through Julie's charity work – she is a tireless campaigner for various causes – the couple got together a decade ago

and married in 2008.

"We decided not to have children. I knew there would be a 50/50 chance of a child inheriting brittle bone disease and, while I have an amazing life, I don't want to give this disability to another human being."

"We discussed adoption, but Andrew wasn't too keen. So we decided to foster. We get mostly teenagers and, though it can be hard work, it's an amazing and rewarding experience."

Julie concedes that juggling all her commitments – the shop, the kids, her media and charity work – can be exhausting. "I don't have room for anything else. Most days I'm in bed by 8pm."

But Julie has a philosophical approach, informed in part by her open-minded upbringing. "My parents are both spiritualists, so I grew up with a mind open to all kinds of possibilities. It's not a religious thing for me, but I do believe in life after death – that there is something more."

"I can actually see spirits. The first time it happened I was still a child: it was a woman running along, as if she was being chased... Her hair was flying out behind her. I think the universe is an amazing place, full of mysteries. There's so much we still don't understand."

"As I said, I have an amazing life," adds Julie. "It's proof, if it were needed, that having a disability shouldn't hold you back – it shouldn't stop you doing anything."

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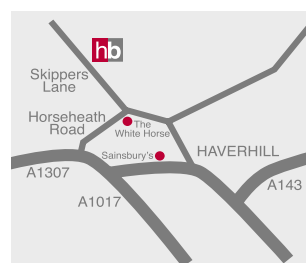
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# Inspector wants a change of priority

BY JO DEEKS

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A MEETING to set a town's new policing issues will be held on September 10 and its sector commander is hoping that handing out tickets to motorists illegally parked in the High Street will be taken off the agenda.

Inspector Peter Ferrie has repeatedly said that he believes his officers could be far better employed in tackling more serious crime in Haverhill, although residents again demanded that it become a top issue at the last priority setting meeting in June.

It has been a priority previously, but this had made no difference to the number of



Priorities: Inspector Peter Ferrie.

drivers illegally entering the High Street when it is closed to traffic between 10am and 4pm or those parking on the pavement during the late afternoon and evening.

Inspector Ferrie said he was hoping to persuade those who attend the next meeting, to be

held at Samuel Ward Academy in Chalkstone Way on Monday, September 10 at 7pm, that this should no longer be a priority.

He said: "We are still issuing tickets, but it is having no effect whatsoever."

"The public has made it a priority, so we will still be out there trying to enforce it, but no matter how many tickets we issue, it makes no difference. Hopefully those who attend will agree that it should no longer be a priority, so that we can prioritise something where we can make a difference."

The Inspector said he expected that tackling anti-social behaviour in Queen Street would continue to be a priority, as work was continuing on this. No evidence had been found of anti-social behaviour on the Chalkstone estate by people returning home from the town centre, so this would probably be replaced.

## Brewing up to show support

A CHILDREN'S play centre will be brewing up to take part in the World's Biggest Coffee Morning event for Macmillan Cancer Support next month.

The event at the Cheeky Chimps Fun House in Boundary Road, Haverhill, will be on Friday, September 28 at 10am.

Cakes will be on sale, with one free tea or coffee for visitors, and all proceeds from sale of cakes going directly to the charity.

Any donations of cakes to sell would be greatly appreciated.

For more information, call (01440) 707711 or visit [info@cheekychimpsfunhouse.co.uk](mailto:info@cheekychimpsfunhouse.co.uk).

## Walk to start celebrations

A CHURCH celebrating its 350th anniversary will be hosting a walk to get its celebrations under way.

The Old Independent Church in Hamlet Road, Haverhill, celebrates the anniversary of its founding later this month and to "set the scene", Gwyn Cross, of the Haverhill Local History Group, will be giving a guided tour of "Old Essex" - as this part of Haverhill was known as Haverhill Hamlet at that time, and was in the county of Essex.

The walk starts from the church at 6.45 pm on Friday, September 7 and free tickets are available at the Arts Centre.

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## It's not all in the mind

**T**HE life of celebrated psychologist Sigmund Freud comes to the stage when the Theatre Royal Bath brings *Hysteria*, written and directed by Terry Johnson and starring Sir Antony Sher, to Cambridge Arts Theatre.

Having fled Nazi occupied Austria, Sigmund Freud just wants to live out his final days quietly in leafy Hampstead. His peaceful existence is rudely interrupted by the arrival of two unexpected guests – one is a woman who literally cannot keep her clothes on and the other is a flamboyant Spanish gentleman called Salvador Dali.

Both leaders in their field, Dali and Freud had more in common than you might think – a desire to break new ground and to challenge public perceptions on how the world

should be viewed.

Dali and the surrealist movement adopted Freud as their unofficial 'patron saint', his explorations and studies of the subconscious were what they aspired to portray in their art. Freud however, had little time for the surrealists and their beliefs – this was definitely not a reciprocal admiration.

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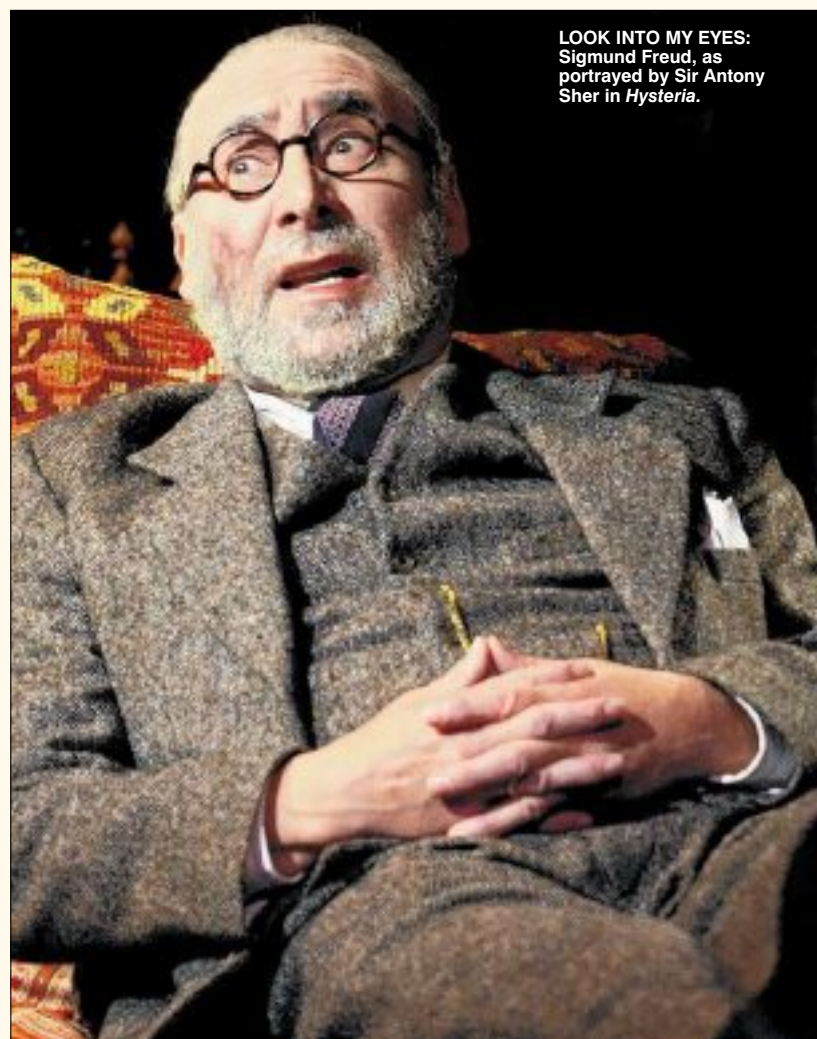
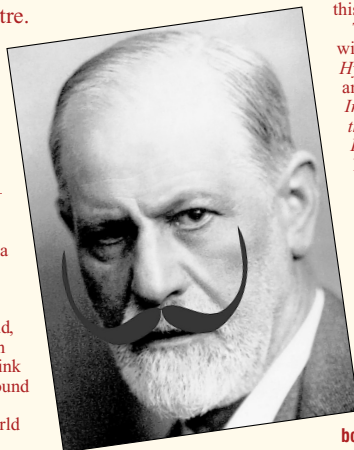
winner Sir Antony Sher leads the cast as Freud; his numerous credits include roles for the RSC and the National Theatre. Returning to Cambridge Arts Theatre are Will Keen as Dali, (Cheek By Jowl's *Macbeth*, 2011) and David Horovitch (Mike Leigh's *Grief* from the National Theatre, 2011). Indira Varma, Donmar Warehouse & Royal Court regular, completes this stellar cast.

Tony Johnson is the award winning writer and director of *Hysteria*. His many directorial and/or writing credits include *Insignificance*, *One Flew over the Cuckoo's Nest* and *Dead Funny*, all in the West End. He won the 2012 Tony Award for Best Director of a Musical for *La Cage Aux Folles*.

Sharply funny and with more than a touch of the surreal about it, *Hysteria* is the perfect way to kick-start the autumn season.

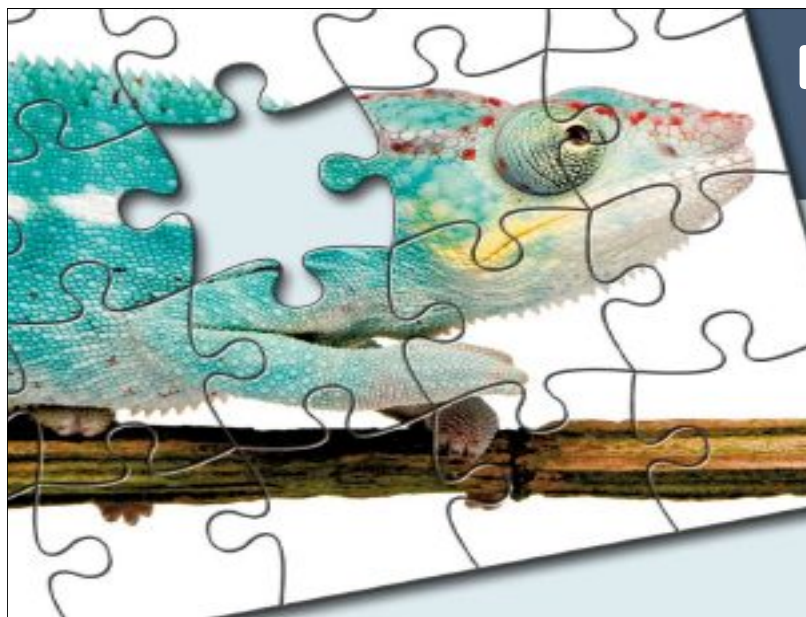
■ **Hysteria: Cambridge Arts Theatre from Monday to Saturday, September 3 to 8. Tickets from £15 to £30 (subject to £2.50**

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LOOK INTO MY EYES:  
Sigmund Freud, as  
portrayed by Sir Antony  
Sher in *Hysteria*.

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**BAND** For The Night, an evening dancing to classic rock favourites, with all the proceeds going to East Anglian Air Ambulance, is at the centre tonight.

The line-up has Chris Olley from Fleece, Joe Fawcett from Absolution and The Fallen, Nigel Turner from Break for the Border, Jamie Gentry from Backtrackin' and Bob Edwards, the organiser from Band for the Night. The evening begins at 8pm.

■ Brenda Evers (Great Bentley, Colchester, Essex) is the guest of the Haverhill and District Flower Club for their next meeting on Monday with 'Autumn Delights'. Visitors always welcome.

■ Widely acknowledged as one of the finest acoustic and slide guitar players in the world, Martin Simpson's interpretations of traditional songs are masterpieces of storytelling. His solo show on Friday, September 7 promises to be intense, eclectic and deeply moving. He will be performing songs from his latest, highly acclaimed album, *Purpose and Grace* which includes everything from old folk ballads to a cover of Bruce Springsteen's Vietnam song *Brothers Under the Bridge*. Expect the best from Martin, his shows are always spell-binding and he has received more nominations for the BBC2

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Folk awards than any other performer.

■ In the cinema, *Friends With Kids* (15) tomorrow at 7.45pm is a poignant ensemble comedy about a close-knit circle of friends. The last two singles observe the effect that kids have on their friends' relationships and wonder if there's a better way, deciding to have a child together and still date other people!

Finally Rhys Ifans, Jason Segel and Emily Blunt star in a thoroughly modern comedy, *The Five Year Engagement* (15) on Thursday, September 6 at 7.45pm. It's love at first sight when Tom and Violet meet at a New Year's Eve party in San Francisco, seemingly the perfect couple destined to spend the rest of their lives together. One year later, Tom proposes, next stop the fairytale wedding. But little do they suspect the obstacles that are about to be placed in the way of happy ever after.

■ Diary dates: T.REXTASY, the Marc Bolan and T-Rex tribute, Saturday, September 22. Other highlights of the upcoming season include *The Osligi Maasai Warriors*, Beverley Craven and Jukebox and Bobbysox. Watch out for the new brochure.



**BUSY LIVES:** The Wishing Well have performed in Scotland, Switzerland, England and Denmark

# The road is long

ORIGINALLY hailing from Australia, folk seven-piece The Wishing Well – who play Cambridge's Man on the Moon on Saturday – have been living on the road since 2008.

In 2010, the band toured for 10 months of the year in the UK, Europe and Australia. During their

epic seven-month tour of the UK and Europe, they performed at the Montreux Jazz Festival in Switzerland, Edinburgh Fringe Festival in Scotland, Canterbury Arts Festival in England, and the Skagen and Nibe festivals in Denmark, as well as hundreds of other concerts.

Last year, the band – Jai Larkan (vocals and electric guitar), Rivkah Larkan (violin), Rachel

Hall (violin and vocals), Rebecca Wright (cello and vocals), Tim Graham (acoustic guitar), Jon Kent (bass) and Josh Kerrigan (drums) – embarked on yet another UK and European tour, as well as making their maiden voyage to the USA.

Combining “three part harmonies, wistful violins, oceanic cello and majestic rhythms” (we’re quoting here), the

band describe themselves as following in the “melodic tradition of Peter Gabriel, Bruce Springsteen and the E Street Band, Dave Matthews Band and The Waterboys”.

They have recorded two albums, *Life on the Border* (2008) and *Fire in the Valley* (2010).

■ The Wishing Well, *Man on the Moon*, Cambridge, Saturday, 8pm.

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## The big film

### TOTAL RECALL

CERTIFICATE 12A, 1h58m

THE human brain is capable of processing hundreds of billions of instructions every second, putting to shame many supercomputers. But like those supercomputers, the brain is susceptible to viruses and corruption. False memories can be planted – without any malicious intent: an older family member recounts a hilarious anecdote from our formative years and without any evidence to the contrary, we ‘create’ an image in the mind’s eye to match their perception. The complexities of the brain, and the ease with which it can be tricked, are the central theme of *Total Recall*, a testosterone-fuelled remake of the 1990 Paul Verhoeven action adventure inspired by Philip K Dick’s short story *We Can Remember It For You Wholesale*. Punctuated by thrilling action set pieces set to Harry Gregson-Williams’ bombastic score, Len Wiseman’s film barely pauses for breath to worry about characterisation as preposterous twist follows outrageous turn. Fans of the Arnold Schwarzenegger version will be two steps ahead of the screenwriters, but directorial brio and eye-popping special effects hold our interest when there is nothing on screen to fire our little grey cells. In the late 21st century, Earth is a



radioactive wasteland apart from two outposts on opposite sides of the planet: the prosperous United Federation of Britain ruled by Chancellor Cohagen (Bryan Cranston) and the polluted, rain-saturated Colony, home to millions of workers and the underground resistance led by Matthias (Bill Nighy). Factory worker Doug Quaid (Colin Farrell) lives in this hellhole with his

wife Lori (Kate Beckinsale) and travels to work in the UFB with best friend Harry (Bokeem Woodbine) via The Fall: a giant elevator running close to the Earth’s core which links the two settlements. Unfulfilled and frustrated, Doug visits Rekall, a shadowy company which promises to realise clients’ dreams by implanting artificial memories. In Doug’s case, he wants to be a super spy.

Shortly before the procedure takes hold, Rekall technician McClane (John Cho) discovers that Doug’s memory has been wiped. In the blink of an eye, the factory worker’s world implodes and he goes on the run in the company of rebel agent Melina (Jessica Biel). *Total Recall* is bombastic fun so long as you disengage your brain and submit to the gargantuan leaps in logic.



## Sudoku



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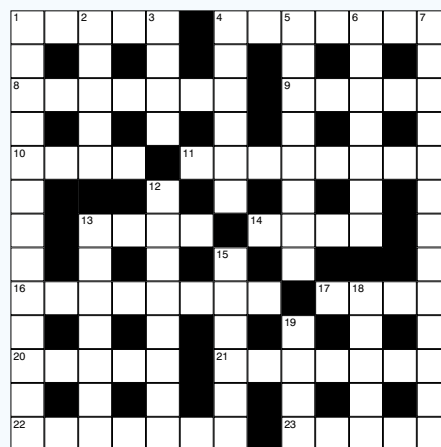
## Cryptic clues

## Across

1. Made contact in a sticky situation (5)
4. Male bat can become domesticated (7)
8. Clothes for the open air apparently last longer (7)
9. Brought into harmony notably? (5)
10. Marcher mad? (4)
11. Uncertain after take-off (2,3,3)
13. Measures cold when afraid (4)
14. 101 is a figure (4)
16. Everybody certain it's a sign it's safe now (3,5)
17. Release without charge (4)
20. Famous seaman who walked with a waddle? (5)
21. Lie about certain free time (7)
22. Made a productive submission? (7)
23. Dunderhead in fog in the thick of things (5)

## Down

1. What should make the wife happy? (4,9)
2. Speak outright? (5)



3. Was attractive but didn't win - or lose (4)
4. After taking it up, boxing is causing fatigue (6)
5. Is it intended to contain strikers (8)
6. Dressing makes group look older (7)
7. Trial of a hanger-on (9,4)
12. Being cultured you and I will look at a book (4,4)
13. 'Go if ale spilt!' Leaves (7)
15. Put everything into very poor folk-song (6)
18. A slice in the ring? (5)
19. Secure business house (4)

## Quick clues

## Across

1. Doorkeeper (5)
4. Strategies (7)
8. Hubbub (7)
9. Volley (5)
10. Paradise (4)
11. Lazy (8)
13. Abyss (4)
14. Muddle (4)
16. Prosperous (8)
17. Frank (4)
20. Brag (5)
21. Cancel (7)
22. Aged (7)
23. Slumber (5)

## Down

1. Unforeseeable (13)
2. Bisect (5)
3. Rant (4)
4. Crowd (6)
5. Client (8)
6. Malady (7)
7. Fair play (13)
12. Lift (8)
13. Wreath (7)
15. Ill fame (6)
18. Main (5)
19. Throw (4)

Last week's solution – Cryptic clues across: 3 Whistling; 8 Opus; 9 Splendour; 10 Shorts; 11 Spree; 14 Leave; 15 Ramp; 16 Rebus; 18 Tool; 20 Aster; 21 Nudge; 24 Barnum; 25 Contrived; 26 Mean; 27 Blue peter. Down: 1 Consulate; 2 Automaton; 4 Hops; 5 Steep; 6 Lodger; 7 Nous; 9 Steer; 11 Sabre; 12 Eastender; 13 Apartment; 17 Salad; 19 Lustre; 22 Guile; 23 Toil; 24 Bede. Quick clues across: 1 Press; 14 Ratio; 15 Sloe; 16 Tongs; 18 Poor; 20 House; 21 Mercy; 24 Zephyr; 25 Volunteer; 26 Zest; 27 Stanchion. Down: 1 Conscript; 2 Maelstrom; 4 Grew; 5 Odour; 6 Access; 7 Cult; 9 Robot; 11 Pansy; 12 Slaughter; 13 Desecrate; 17 Sheer; 19 Return; 22 Catch; 23 Bolt; 24 Zero.

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# Boosting bulbs for springtime

If your summer pots are looking straggly and tired, bite the bullet, bin the summer bedding and make a head start by filling your containers with spring bulbs.

Bulbs often do better in containers than in the ground, as you can control drainage better and plant them in gritty compost which gives them more chance of success.

Ideally, daffodils, crocuses and hyacinths should be planted by the end of September, although they can be planted later.

Tulips should be planted in late October or November, as they need a drop in temperature to root well. Planting in lower temperatures may also reduce the chances of them getting a fungal disease called tulip blight (*Botrytis tulipae*), which can rot the bulbs or cause lesions on the leaves.

Don't be fooled into thinking that spring bulbs in pots should all be of the dwarf variety.

While there's few prettier sights than a mass of deep blue muscari filling a small traditional terracotta pot, don't be afraid of planting big, bold bulbs en masse in bigger pots because, provided they are in a fairly sheltered spot away from strong winds, they should give you a stunning display.

Crown imperials (*Fritillaria imperialis*) look impressive planted in



by Hannah Stephenson

groups of three in large metal containers in a contemporary setting, alongside trimmed box and other architectural plants, while narcissi with stout stems, such as N. Bridal Crown, will provide long-lasting blooms and won't topple over in cooler situations.

I love the strong form of the Darwin tulips, which can reach 50-60cm in height and bloom from mid to late spring. They are how you would expect a tulip to look, with no frills or blousy flowers. A surefire winner is Tulipa Queen Of Night, with its strong stems carrying silky purple-black flowers. I prefer to plant it as a single variety, without any plant partners, and place it against a white wall to show off its deep, rich colour to its best. Many gardeners opt for layering bulbs for a continuous display throughout spring. This is done by planting a variety of bulbs at different depths in the pot.

For instance, in a large container insert larger bulbs such as tulips, covering them in compost, then add another layer of medium-sized bulbs such as dwarf narcissi and cover these, then finally add small bulbs such as crocuses or snowdrops and top them with a final layer of compost.

The bulbs nearer the top will flower first, then as they die down they will be replaced by the medium bulbs, which will in turn be replaced by the larger bulbs later in the season. Recipes might include Scilla siberica on the top layer, Narcissus Tete a Tete in the middle layer and Tulipa Golden Apeldoorn on the bottom layer, but there are many other possibilities.

When planting bulbs, place crocks in the bottom of the pot, add 15-20cm of multi-purpose compost with added John Innes or bulb fibre and begin your layering, nestling late-flowering bulbs into the surface of the compost and adding compost just to cover the bulbs or leave the tips showing.

If you leave pots outside in the winter, don't let them become sodden. Stand the pots on feet to allow the moisture to drain through.

However, don't let the pots dry out either or it will lead to stunted growth and flowers which wilt quickly.

It's a good bet to put the pots by the house in winter, moving them to expose them to the elements from February onwards, so they don't dry out. Once the bulbs are in flower, water them every other day.



**FRESH:** Tulips should be planted in late October or November.



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BBC1	BBC2	ITV1	CHANNEL 4	CHANNEL 5
6.00 Breakfast.	6.00 CBeebies: Guess with Jess.	6.00 CITV: Mini CITV.	6.00 Channel 4 Presents – Oscar	6.00 Milkshake!: Peppa Pig. 6.05
10.00 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites.	6.10 Louie. 6.20 Wibbly Pig.	7.20 CITV.	Pistorius "One Giant Leap."	Roary the Racing Car. 6.15
11.30 Football Focus.	6.30 Diddap. 6.35	8.25 Saturday Cookbook.	Paralympic Games 2012	Fifi and the Flowerpots. 6.25
12.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.	6.45 Chuggington. 6.45	9.25 ITV News.	Tonight.	City of Friends. 6.40 Harry
12.10 Live Formula 1: Belgian Grand Prix Qualifying. Coverage of the session from Spa-Francorchamps (Start-time 1.00pm). Jake Humphrey introduces this afternoon's action ahead of the 12th race of the season.	7.00 CBBC: Rastamouse. 7.00 CBBC: Roar. 7.30 Project Parent. 7.55 The Scooby-Doo Show. 8.20 Dennis and Gnasher. 8.30 The Slammer. 9.00 Who Let the Dogs Out? 9.30 Incredible Edibles. 10.00 Cop School. 10.30 Splatalot. 10.55 Deadly 60 Bites. 11.00 Prank Patrol. 11.30 Diddy Movies. 11.45 MOTD Kickabout. 12.05 Lorraine's Fast, Fresh and Easy Food. FILM: Sodum and Gomorrah (1962). Biblical drama.	9.30 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. 10.25 The Jeremy Kyle Show USA. The Real Housewives of New York City. 11.20 The Real Housewives of New York City.	7.00 Paralympic Games Breakfast Show.	His Bucket Full of Dinosaurs. 6.50 Castle Farm.
2.30 Triathlon. Highlights of the ITU World Championship Series event in Stockholm, Sweden, where the sixth round of the season took place.	12.35 Final Score. BBC News; Regional News; Weather.	1.15 ITV News and Weather. Countrywise. FILM: Dennis (1993). 3.35 FILM: Never Say Never Again (1983). Spy Adventure. 5.55 Anglia News and Weather. 6.10 ITV News and Weather. New You've Been Framed! New series.	9.15 Paralympic Games 2012. Including athletics, track cycling and swimming. 1.00 Paralympic Games 2012. Including track cycling, 7-a-side football, wheelchair basketball and swimming. 6.30 Channel 4 News. 7.00 Paralympic Games 2012. Tonight. Clare Balding and Ade Adepitan introduce further coverage of the third evening of the Games, featuring athletics, wheelchair basketball, swimming, shooting and table tennis.	6.55 Abby's Flying Fairy School. 7.05 Roobarb and Custard Too. 7.15 Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom. 7.25 Play! 7.35 Noddy in Toyland. 7.50 Bert and Ernie's Great Adventures. 7.55 Little Princess. 8.05 The Adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. 8.25 Angelina Ballerina. 8.40 Rupert Bear. 8.55 Bananas in Pyjamas. 9.15 The Mr Men Show. 9.30 Roary the Racing Car. 9.40 Jelly Jamm. 10.00 Power Rangers Samurai. 10.35 Batman: The Brave and the Bold. 11.10 Looney Tunes. 11.20 Celebrity Big Brother: The Eviction. 12.50 Ice Road Truckers: Deadliest Roads.
4.00 Final Score. BBC News; Regional News; Weather.	3.00 FILM: Ensign Pulver (1964). Navy comedy.	6.55 Fool Britannia. New series. Hiddencamera show in which comedian Dom Joly unleashes a host of pranks. 7.25 Red or Black? With Britain's Got Talent winners Ashleigh and Pudsey and snooker players Judd Trump and Neil Robertson. Continues after The X Factor.	10.30 The Last Leg with Adam Hills. The comedian presents an alternative review of the day's Paralympics action, focusing on the key moments and talking points with guests from the sports and showbiz worlds.	1.50 FILM: Mystery Woman: Redemption (2006).
5.45 A Question of Sport: Gold Medal Winners Special. With Katherine Grainger and Jason Kenny.	4.40 Coast. 5.10 The Hairy Bikers' Food Tour of Britain. The duo's tour comes to an end in Elgin.	8.10 Red or Black? 9.10 The Jonathan Ross Show. With double Olympic gold medallist Mo'Nique, rapper and actor Plan B, actress Rosie Huntington-Whiteley and choirmaster Gareth Malone.	11.15 FILM: Cloverfield (2008). Six young New Yorkers attend a going-away party on the night that a gigantic monster attacks the city. Thriller, starring Michael Stahl-David and Lizzy Caplan.	3.30 FILM: Michael (1996). Fantasy comedy.
6.20 All New Total Wipeout. Another 20 foolhardy Brits fly to Argentina to have a go at the crazy, obstacle-strewn time trial.	5.55 Dad's Army. 6.55 BBC Proms 2012. The John Wilson Orchestra and the Malda Vale singers perform music from famous Broadway musicals. First broadcast on Radio 3 on August 27.	9.55 With double Olympic gold medallist Mo'Nique, rapper and actor Plan B, actress Rosie Huntington-Whiteley and choirmaster Gareth Malone.	12.55 FILM: Poetry (2010). A sixty-something woman facing family tragedy and the onset of Alzheimer's disease, finds strength when she enrolls in a poetry class. Premiere.	5.30 FILM: Jesse Stone: Innocents Lost (2011). Premiere.
7.20 Doctor Who. The Doctor, Amy and Rory are kidnapped by their deadly foe the Daleks.	9.30 Who on Earth Was Ford Madox Ford? A Culture Show Special. Alan Yentob profiles The Parade's End author.	10.55 ITV News and Weather. FILM: Pride and Prejudice (2005). Period drama.		7.15 5 News Weekend. 7.20 NCIS.
8.10 The National Lottery: Secret Fortune. Includes the Lotto and Thunderball draws.	10.35 TOTP2: School Days. 11.35 Premiere. A teenager growing up in the 1970s gets drawn into a love triangle in the Northern Soul music scene.	1.30 The Store: ITV News Headlines.		8.15 CSI: NY. Mac finally realises his stalker's motivation.
9.00 BBC News; Weather.	11.30 The Football League Show.			9.10 Celebrity Big Brother.
9.50 Match of the Day. Highlights of today's Premier League clashes (C) National Lottery Update.	12.50 Weatherview.			10.10 CSI: Miami. Guest starring Drea de Matteo and Aldis Hodge.
11.30 The Football League Show.				11.10 CSI: Crime Scene Investigation.
12.50 Weatherview.				12.05 SuperCasino.



The Jonathan Ross Show  
ITV1, Saturday, 9.55pm.



Richard Hammond's Crash Course  
BBC2, Sunday, 7.15pm.



Doc Martin  
ITV1, Sunday, 4.25pm.



John Barrowman's Dallas  
Channel 5, Sunday, 7.55pm.

# SUNDAY

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7.40 Match of the Day. Including highlights of West Ham United v Fulham.	6.10 Louie. 6.20 Wibbly Pig. 6.30 Diddap. 6.35 Chuggington. 6.45 Rastamouse. 7.00 CBBC: Roar. 7.30 Copycats. 8.00 Deadly Art. 8.15 Paradise Cafe. 8.40 Winging 'It'. 9.00 Who Let the Dogs Out? 9.30 Junior Bake Off. 10.00 Saturday Kitchen Best Bites. 11.30 The Great British Bake Off.	7.20 Dinner Date. 8.25 ITV News. 9.30 House Gift. 10.25 There's No Taste Like Home. The Hungry Sailors. 11.25 ITV News and Weather. The X Factor. 1.35 Britain Then and Now. FILM: Columbo: Butterfly in Shades of Grey (1993). Doc Martin.	6.05 Paralympic Games 2012. Tonight. Action from last night's events. (R) (T)	6.05 Fifi and the Flowerpots. 6.25 City of Friends. 6.40 Harry and His Bucket Full of Dinosaurs. 6.50 Castle Farm.
9.00 The Andrew Marr Show. 10.00 Sunday Morning Live. 11.00 Country Tracks: Weather for the Week Ahead. BBC News.	12.10 Live Formula 1: Belgian Grand Prix. Coverage from Spa-Francorchamps (Start-time 1.00pm).	1.35 Coronation Street. Hour-long episode. Ryan announces he is thinking of leaving Weatherfield, and later takes the keys to the factory with the intention of stealing money for a fix. When Rob discovers the break-in he assumes he is being burgled and goes on the attack.	7.00 Paralympic Games Breakfast Show.	6.55 Abby's Flying Fairy School. 7.05 Roobarb and Custard Too. 7.15 Ben and Holly's Little Kingdom. 7.25 Play! 7.35 Noddy in Toyland. 7.45 Milkshake! Monkey. 7.50 Bert and Ernie's Great Adventures. 7.55 Little Princess. 8.10 The adventures of Bottle Top Bill and His Best Friend Corky. 8.25 Angelina Ballerina. 8.40 Rupert Bear. 8.55 Bananas in Pyjamas. 9.15 The Mr Men Show. 9.30 Roary the Racing Car. 9.45 Jelly Jamm. 10.00 Power Rangers Samurai. 10.35 Batman: The Brave and the Bold. 11.10 Looney Tunes. 11.20 Celebrity Big Brother.
3.15 A Question of Sport: Gold Medal Winners Special. Ocean Giants. The vocal ranges of whales and dolphins. Last in the series. Songs of Praise.	12.30 FILM: A Tale of Two Cities (1958). Dickens adaptation. Coast.	2.30 The Talent Show Story. Anglia News and Weather. 4.25 ITV News and Weather. 7.00 Coronation Street. Hour-long episode. Ryan announces he is thinking of leaving Weatherfield, and later takes the keys to the factory with the intention of stealing money for a fix. When Rob discovers the break-in he assumes he is being burgled and goes on the attack.	9.15 Paralympic Games 2012. Including swimming, athletics, track cycling, table tennis, equestrian and rowing. (T)	12.15 FILM: The Slipper and the Rose (1976).
3.45 The Andrew Marr Show. 4.45 Songs of Praise. 5.20 The Indian Doctor. 6.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.	2.25 Escape to the Country. Burghley Horse Trials 2012. Coverage from Burghley House near Stamford in Lincolnshire.	5.30 The Talent Show Story. Anglia News and Weather. 6.25 ITV News and Weather. 7.00 Coronation Street. Hour-long episode. Ryan announces he is thinking of leaving Weatherfield, and later takes the keys to the factory with the intention of stealing money for a fix. When Rob discovers the break-in he assumes he is being burgled and goes on the attack.	6.30 Channel 4 News. 7.00 Paralympic Games 2012. Tonight. Further coverage of the fourth day of the Games, featuring athletics at the Olympic Stadium, swimming at the Aquatics Centre and wheelchair basketball at the Basketball Arena.	3.00 FILM: Belle's Magical World (1998). Premiere.
6.30 Britain's Hidden Heritage. The extensive archive of Berkeley Castle in Gloucestershire, Country Life magazine's photographic collection and the architecture of London's BT Tower. Last in the series.	5.15 Oceans. The Arctic Ocean. Swimming with Crocodiles. Part one of two. Ben Fogle travels to Botswana to join a pilot research study of Nile crocodiles.	8.00 The Cube. Another chance to see Mo'Nique taking part. The Last Weekend. Suspense thriller adapted from the novel by Blake Morrison, starring Rupert Penry-Jones.	10.30 The Last Leg with Adam Hills. The comedian presents an alternative review of the day's Paralympics action, focusing on the key moments.	4.50 FILM: The Wizard of Oz (1939). Musical.
7.30 Countryfile. Includes Weather for the Week Ahead. Inspector George Gently. Elen Mallam is left to drown in an upturned car by its driver.	6.15 Richard Hammond's Crash Course. The host travels across America.	9.00 The Last Weekend. Suspense thriller adapted from the novel by Blake Morrison, starring Rupert Penry-Jones.	11.15 FILM: Submarine (2010). Premiere. A teenager is desperate to lose his virginity before his next birthday and save his parents' marriage. Comedy drama, with Craig Roberts, Sally Hawkins, Paddy Considine and Noah Taylor.	6.55 5 News Weekend. 7.00 Cricket on 5. 7.55 John Barrowman's Dallas: Dreaming of Bobby.
10.00 BBC News; Regional News; Weather.	8.00 Top Gear. 9.00 Toughest Place to Be a Nurse. The Best of Men. Fact-based drama about the birth of the Paralympics.	10.00 ITV News at Ten and Weather.	1.05 FILM: Water Lilies (2007). Drama, with Pauline Acquart, Louise Blachere and Adele Haenel. In French.	8.30 John Barrowman's Dallas: Shooting JR. Conclusion. Celebrity Big Brother.
10.25 Match of the Day 2. In with the Flynns. Comedy, starring Will Mellor and Niky Wardley.	11.30 FILM: The Edge of Love (2008). Fact-based period drama about the unlikely friendship between the wife and lover of poet Dylan Thomas. Starring Keira Knightley.	11.45 Premiership Rugby Union. The Store: ITV News Headlines.		9.00 9/11: Escape from the Impact Zone.
11.35 In with the Flynns. Comedy, starring Will Mellor and Niky Wardley.	1.15 BBC News.			10.00 9/11: Escape from the Impact Zone.
12.05 The Sky at Night.				10.45 FILM: Reign Over Me (2007). SuperCasino.



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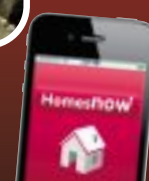
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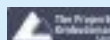
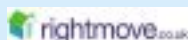
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**Gainsborough Road £135,000**



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Well presented semi-detached family home located on the popular Cambridge side of town. The property offers: I-shaped lounge/diner, kitchen, three bedrooms, bathroom, front & rear gardens, allocated parking & No Onward Chain



**Hicks Way, Sturmer £229,950**

Detached family home located in the heart of a popular Essex village offering g/f cloakroom, lounge, kitchen/diner, utility room, four bedrooms, en-suite to master, family bathroom, rear garden, office/family room, double garage & driveway



**Withersfield Road £194,950**

Semi-detached family home located close to town offering g/f cloakroom, extended kitchen/breakfast room, dining room, lounge, three bedrooms, family bathroom, front & rear gardens & studio/workshop



**Forties Close £195,000**

Detached bungalow located in a popular residential area offering lounge, kitchen/diner, conservatory, two bedrooms, bathroom, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazing, independent driveway & single garage



**Sturmer Road, Kedington £325,000**

Extended & modernised detached thatched cottage with many original features located in a popular Suffolk village. The property offers many fine features to include lounge, kitchen, dining room, four bedrooms, family bathroom, driveway, front & rear gardens.



**Chaplains Close £169,950**

Semi-detached family home located on the popular Hales Barn development offering g/f cloakroom, lounge/dining room, kitchen, conservatory, three bedrooms, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazed & garage en-bloc



**Kedington £219,950**

Well presented link-detached family home located in a popular Suffolk village offering g/f cloakroom, lounge, dining room, kitchen, conservatory, three bedrooms, en-suite to master, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, driveway & garage



**Crowland Road £135,950**

Well presented mid-terraced Victorian family home located close to town. The property offers: lounge, dining room, kitchen, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, recently replaced boiler, front & rear gardens & many original features

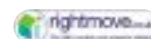




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**Rowell Close £112,500**

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**NEW LISTING** **NO CHAIN**



**Withersfield Road £129,950**

Terraced family home located close to town offering lounge, dining room, kitchen, bathroom & three bedrooms to the first floor. Offered with No Onward Chain. Ideal for a first time buyer or investment buyer with a potential rental income of £625 pcm

**NO CHAIN**



**Church Park, Stoke By Clare £207,500**

Detached two bedroom bungalow with double garage situated in the heart of the popular village of Stoke By Clare, the property is in need of some modernisation. No onward chain

**NO CHAIN**



**Abbotts Croft, Sturmer £220,000**

Located in the heart of a popular Essex village, detached chalet bungalow, re-fitted kitchen, lounge, separate dining room, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, separate shower room/WC, garage & driveway, un-overlooked rear garden, viewing recommended

**Horsham Close OIRO £139,999**



Terraced family home located on the Cambridge side of town in a popular residential area. The property offers lounge/diner, kitchen, two bedrooms, re-fitted bathroom, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazed, garage & allocated parking.

**NO CHAIN**



**Bath Court £129,995**

Extended terraced family home offering kitchen, lounge, dining room/family room, three bedrooms, family bathroom, separate w/c, front & rear gardens, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazing & No Onward Chain

**Antonia Close £265,000**



Detached family home on a generous corner plot offering g/f cloakroom, lounge, dining room, kitchen/breakfast room, four bedrooms, en-suite, bathroom, g/f c/h, front & rear gardens, driveway & double length garage

**Elmhurst Close £162,995**



Popular residential location, close to town centre, semi detached family home, lounge/dining room, re-fitted kitchen, three bedrooms, family bathroom, g/f c/h, UPVC double glazed windows, attached garage & driveway, viewing highly recommended

**NO CHAIN**



**Poplar Walk, Stradishall £145,000**

Four bedroom semi-detached family home offering g/f cloakroom, lounge, re-fitted kitchen/diner, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, single garage & driveway. Also offered with No Onward Chain




**Spindle Road**

Detached family home located on the popular Cambridge side of town offering five bedrooms, lounge, study, dining room, kitchen, utility room, g/f cloakroom, freezer room, en-suite to master, family bathroom, front & rear gardens & independent driveway

**£249,950**

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**Forest Glade £595 pcm**

High specification first floor flat offering two bedrooms, re-fitted kitchen, open plan lounge/diner, bathroom, secured entry & double glazing. Available Early Sept 2012. Regret No smokers, pets or housing benefit

**TO LET**



**Anne Of Cleves House, Hamlet Road £350 pcm**

Various refurbished offices, close to town, kitchen & cloakroom facilities, g/f c/h, delightful gardens, 12 month licence available, Price: £350 - £700 pcm inc electricity & gas

**TO LET**



**Crowland House £300 pcm**

First floor offices to let close to the town centre with shared use of kitchen & WC facilities, intercom entry system, parking available, utilities included & cleaning incorporated. Available Now

**TO LET**



**Weavers, Hamlet Road £400 pcm**

Prestigious letting opportunity, close to town centre, one office available, kitchen & WC facilities, price to include: gas, electric, water, business rates & facilities, available now

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**Cleves Road £900 pcm**

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**Ash Walk, Stradishall £525 pcm**

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# Kings of the Property Jungle

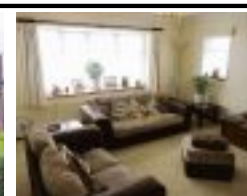
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**Six Mile Bottom** £95,000  
A well presented 1 bedroom ground floor apartment. Spacious accommodation throughout. NO ONWARD CHAIN.



**Ladygate** £129,995  
Well presented 3 bedroom mid terrace. The property has very good sized accommodation and would be an ideal first time purchase or investment property. NO ONWARD CHAIN.



**Withersfield** £389,995  
Large detached house, separate Annex. Great sized accommodation: 4 Reception, 5 Beds, 3 Bathrooms, 2 Kitchens, large garden onto open fields.



**Chapelwent Road** P.O.A  
STAMP DUTY PAID INCENTIVE. 5 Bedroom spacious property with two en-suite bathrooms, well presented and boasts a wealth of space. Electric doors for secure parking.



**Crowland Road** OIEO £199,995  
OPEN EVENT SATURDAY 1ST SEPTEMBER 10AM-12PM NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY. Modern larger than average 3/4 bed town house located within walking distance of the town centre. The property boasts 3 bedrooms and integral garage. NO ONWARD CHAIN.



**Templers Court** £124,950  
Good sized two bedroom end of terrace home on the Parkway estate the property has a good sized plot with great extension potential. The property is offered with no onward chain.



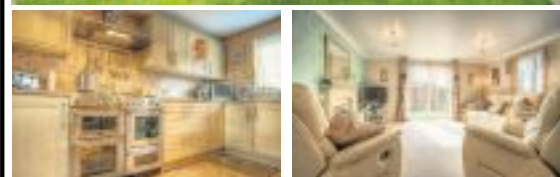
**Feltwell Place** £129,000  
3 Bedroom end of terrace house on the popular Chalkstone estate. The property boasts spacious accommodation to include large lounge & kitchen/diner. No Onward Chain



**Glemsford** £45,000  
A greatly improved studio apartment in the village of Glemsford the property is an ideal investment opportunity with the added benefit of already having a tenant living there currently paying £400 PCM.



**Field View** £249,995  
SOLD STC  
SOLD WITHIN 3 HOURS. MORE PROPERTIES URGENTLY REQUIRED FOR WAITING BUYERS



**Chapelwent Road** OIEO £270,000  
\*\*OPEN EVENT SATURDAY 8th SEPTEMBER 10am-12pm\*\* Immaculately presented 5 bedroom detached property in a sought after area of town. The property boasts a wealth of space to include a conservatory extension, two en-suite bathrooms, driveway and garage. The property really must be viewed to appreciate the accommodation on offer.



**Shetland Road** OIEO £299,995  
STUNNING BEDROOM DETACHED HOUSE WITH ANNEXE. Must be viewed to appreciate the standard of works carried out by the present owner.



**Churchfields Drive** £219,995  
3 bedroom detached bungalow in Steeple Bumpstead. The property benefits from a conservatory extension and also has gas fired heating and double glazing throughout.



**Station Road** £149,995  
Spacious Victorian semi detached house in the heart of Haverhill boasting impressive original features and has the added benefit of having a driveway and converted cellar.



**Horsham Close** £159,995  
Excellent opportunity to purchase this attractive 2 bedroom semi-detached bungalow in a desirable residential cul-de-sac location. The property is offered with no onward chain.





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**SOLD**

Masons Close  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED


OIEO £265,000



**SOLD**

Dovehouse Road  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

OIEO £109,995



**SOLD**

Old Rope Walk  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£187,500



**SOLD**

Mallow Walk  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£119,995



**SOLD**

Burton End  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

OIEO £150,000



**SOLD**

Henderson Close  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£179,995

These are just some of the properties we have sold in the last 3 months.



**SOLD**

Shetland Road  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

OIEO £149,995



**SOLD**

Brybank Road  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£189,995

More properties are urgently required for waiting buyers.



**SOLD**

Salisbury Court  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£119,995



**SOLD**

Eden Road  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

OIEO £115,000

Call CXG for a free no obligation valuation.



**SOLD**

Meadowsweet Close  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£159,995



**SOLD**

Betony Walk  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£129,950



**SOLD**

Duddery Road  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£89,995



**SOLD**

Dash End Lane  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£259,995



**SOLD**

Clare  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

OIEO £240,000



**SOLD**

Cambridge Close  
SOLD STC  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES REQUIRED

£129,995



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NEW



**Thurlow**

**£520,000**

A spacious, extended and beautifully presented five bedroom detached family home pleasantly situated in a small hamlet with wonderful views over rolling countryside. The property benefits from a stunning 20ft x 15ft solid oak kitchen / dining room, three reception rooms, Master bedroom with en suite & dressing room, enjoying a plot of approximately 0.25 acres.

NEW



**Withersfield**

**£219,950**

A charming Grade II listed cottage boasting a wealth of period features located in the well regarded village of Withersfield and in brief benefiting from two/three bedrooms, allocated parking for three vehicles and private gardens.

NEW PRICE



**Ridgewell**

**£239,950**

A large four bedroom detached property with double garage, tucked away in a cul-de-sac in the idyllic village of Ridgewell.

- Four bedrooms
- Two reception rooms
- Fitted kitchen



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NEW



**Haverhill**

**£359,950**

An immaculate and beautifully presented detached bungalow, nicely situated in a non estate location on the outskirts of Haverhill. The property benefits from three double bedrooms, attractive kitchen / breakfast room, sitting / dining room and a double garage.

NEW



**Haverhill**

**£159,950**

A Three bedroom semi-detached nicely situated in a popular cul de sac on the Cambridge side of town. The property benefits from a generous kitchen/diner, sitting room, single garage and a south facing rear garden.

NEW



**Haverhill**

**£156,950**

A three bedroom end of terrace house located at the head of a pleasant cul de sac on the Cambridge side of town. The property benefits from a conservatory, en suite to the master bedroom and a single garage.



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NEW



**Haverhill**

**£176,950**

A truly stunning two bedroom, semi detached Victorian house located on one of Haverhill's most sought after central streets. The property has been extended on the ground floor and benefits from an attractive kitchen/breakfast room, three reception rooms and a generous rear garden measuring in excess of 100ft. 79 sq.m. (850 sq.ft.) net.

NEW



**Haverhill**

**£122,500**

An older style Victorian cottage, conveniently located for the town centre. The property benefits from two independent bedrooms and first floor bathroom and also enjoys secure residents' permit parking. The property offers good rental potential with an achievable yield around £595 pcm

NEW PRICE



**Ridgewell**

**£445,000**

A substantial detached chalet bungalow that has been extended and refurbished by the current vendor to an extremely high standard situated in a quiet lane within the village of Ridgewell. The property offers flexible living accommodation with views over open countryside and occupies a plot of 0.22 of an acre (sts).



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SALE AGREED



Wickhambrook £575,000  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Calford Green £599,950  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Thurlow £499,950  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Kedington £379,950  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

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Available

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SOLD SOLD SOLD

SALE AGREED



Castle Camps £295,000  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Haverhill £205,000  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Haverhill £207,950  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
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Haverhill £210,000  
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Haverhill £250,000  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Haverhill £134,950  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED

SALE AGREED



Haverhill £142,950  
SIMILAR PROPERTIES  
URGENTLY REQUIRED



# what's hot on the market

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## On the market for £239,995 in Hundon



ON the market for £239,995, this property in North Street, Hundon, offers attractive period accommodation within a pretty village location.

The picturesque Arklea Cottage was built in the 1800s and is

tastefully decorated within. Rooms include a living room with feature fireplace, galley-style kitchen, sunroom/dining room, two bedrooms (with potential for a third) and a bathroom.

There is a driveway to the side

of the house, offering off-street parking, while the rear garden is laid to lawn with pretty flowerbeds and a barbecue area overlooking paddocks.

Call Morris Armitage for more information on (01440) 768668.

## Offers in excess of £210,000 in Haverhill

THIS lovely house in Old Rope Walk, Haverhill, is on the market with no upward chain.

The property occupies a quiet cul-de-sac location and comprises an entrance

hall, cloakroom, living room, separate dining room, kitchen, first-floor master bedroom with en suite, three further bedrooms and a family bathroom.

There are gardens to the front and rear, plus a single garage.

Offers in excess of £210,000 are invited. For more information contact Abbotts on (01440) 702575.



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3 bed mid terrace in quiet cul-de-sac on the Cambridge side of town comprising of Kitchen, lounge/diner, family bathroom, three double bedrooms, garden. Parking. No pets.



Elmdon Place, Haverhill £500pcm

Spacious 1 bedroom first floor flat in good location close to school and supermarket, kitchen, lounge, double bedroom, shower room and balcony. Parking, no pets.



Kings Hill, Kedington £750pcm

Large three bed end terrace house in desirable village location; lounge, kitchen/diner, 2 double bedrooms, bathroom. Pets negotiable. This property is offering a 6 month let only.



Stonecross House, Kedington £575pcm

Modern, recently redecorated three bedroom ground floor flat in rural location yet still close to the town of Haverhill. 2 double bedrooms and 1 single, lounge, kitchen, bathroom, toilet.



Cavendish House, Haverhill £575pcm

Modern two bed ground floor flat within short walking distance to town centre; lounge/diner, kitchen, bathroom, one double bedroom and one single, parking.



Ickleton Place, Haverhill £695pcm

Modern 3 bed terrace offering ample living space in quiet location. Lounge, dining room, kitchen, 2 double bedrooms and one single, bathroom. Garden, parking.

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## Haverhill

£255,000

Bychoice are pleased to offer this well presented & generously proportioned 5 bedroom detached family home. The property benefits from lounge, kitchen, 2 bathrooms + ensuite & downstairs cloak, private rear garden, garage & driveway for 2 cars. Viewing essential to avoid disappointment, CALL NOW.

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## Clare

£399,995

Bychoice are delighted to offer this rarely available 4/5 bedroom house in the much sought after village of Clare. Affording a great position with the village & very spacious living accommodation this house is the perfect family home.

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## Haverhill

£265,000

BYchoice are delighted to offer for sale this 4 bedroom detached family home. Accommodation in brief comprises, lounge, dining room, study, ground floor WC, fitted kitchen, ensuite, front, rear & side gardens, drive way, offers potential to extend, plans are available to view. VIEWING ESSENTIAL

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**Steeple Bumpstead £269,995**

A 3 bedroom cottage with exposed beams, open fire place, Accommodation comprises lounge, kitchen/diner, utility area, ground floor shower room & ensuite bathroom to master, well maintained mature garden & off road parking.

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**Haverhill £112,500**

Bychoice are pleased to offer to market this 1 bedroom starter home, benefits include double glazing, gas central heating & allocated parking. NO ONWARD CHAIN.

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**Haverhill £125,000**

Fully refurbished 2 bedroom, 2 reception home in the heart of Haverhill, benefits include upstairs bathroom & 60ft rear garden. A great opportunity for first time buyers or rental investors.

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**Steeple Bumpstead £144,995**

A charming 1 bedroom cottage. Accommodation comprises entrance porch, lounge, dining area, kitchen, bathroom, off street parking & views over fields to the rear.

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**Hempstead £369,995**

Set in the sought after village of Hempstead, is this attractive grade II listed detached cottage, providing deceptively large living accommodation,

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**Great Bradley Guide Price £200,000**

A recently modernised spacious 3 bedroom bungalow, offering peaceful village life in a quiet cul de sac location, with parking for 4 cars & garage.

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**Withersfield £245,000**

A 'chocolate box' thatched cottage within easy reach of amenities & close to Cambridge & Bury St Edmunds, located just 13 miles from Whittlesford station offering direct links to London.

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**Sturmer £399,950**

Spacious 4 bedroom family home, set in a rural location. Further benefits include heated indoor swimming pool, double detached garage with office over and mature manicured gardens.

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**Haverhill £200,000**

Well proportioned family home, set in a cul de sac location. Accommodation comprising of extended lounge, dining room, extended fitted modern kitchen, ground floor shower room, 4 bedrooms,

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**Castle Camps £159,995**

Bychoice are pleased to offer to market this beautifully presented 2 bedroom home. Set in the village of Castle Camps & originally part of a public house, it has been converted to a high standard.

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**Haverhill £159,995**

Bychoice are pleased to offer to market this refurbished 3 bedroom semi detached family home. Accommodation comprises sitting room, kitchen, family bathroom, front & rear gardens, off road parking,

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**Haverhill £149,995**

A well presented 3 bedroom property with accommodation comprising of a living room, fitted kitchen & ground floor WC. Enclosed rear garden & 2 allocated parking spaces.

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**Haverhill £289,995**

Bychoice are pleased to offer to market this well presented 3 double bedroom chalet bungalow, set in a lovely position down a private road, this property offers you peaceful living, whilst still being close to town & amenities. Viewing highly recommended to fully appreciate the property. CALL NOW.

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**Haverhill £194,995**

If you need versatility for an expanding family, This property could be just what your looking for. With 3 reception rooms & conservatory downstairs & 4/5 beds plus attic room upstairs.

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**Haverhill £185,000**

Well proportioned family home set in a cul de sac location. Lounge, modern fitted kitchen diner, 3 bedrooms, family bathroom, good size rear garden, garage & driveway.

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**Haverhill £174,995**

3 bedroom semi detached family home, on the popular Chapel Drive development. Accommodation comprises sitting room, dining room, conservatory, front and rear gardens, driveway & detached garage.

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**Haverhill £165,000**

3 bedroom family home comprising entrance hall, ground floor WC, sitting room, kitchen breakfast room, ensuite to master bedroom, family bathroom, gas central heating & double glazing. NO ONWARD CHAIN

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**Haverhill £239,995**

Bychoice are pleased to offer to market this tastefully extended & refurbished 4 bedroom family home, situated on the popular Chapel Drive development, comprising 3 Reception rooms, Re-fitted Kitchen, Ground floor Cloak/shower room, family bathroom & off road parking.

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**Kedington £190,000**

3 Bedroom semi detached property, in the sought after village of Kedington. The property offers spacious living accommodation, 3 bedrooms, kitchen/diner, lounge & separate shower room & WC. The property also boasts large front & rear gardens.

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**Great Yeldham £239,995**

We at BYchoice are delighted to offer for sale this delightful period property. The property benefits from a lounge, dining room, kitchen, 3 further first floor bedrooms & family bathroom.

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**Little Yeldham £200,000**

Guide Price £200,000 - £220,000. Bychoice are delighted to offer this well presented 3 bedroom link detached house in the sought after village of Little Yeldham.

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**Gainsford End £300,000**

Guide Price £300,000 - £315,000  
Bychoice are pleased to offer this extended 4 bedroom semi detached house occupying a quiet rural location on the Essex and Suffolk borders. The property offers generous living accommodation and also offers annexe potential. Call to view now.

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**Clare £135,000**

Well proportioned two bedroom cottage in the village of Clare. The property benefits from a Lounge, kitchen/diner, 2 bedrooms and an upstairs bathroom. There is also a decent size rear garden.

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**Clare OIEO £135,000**

2 Bedroom mid terrace cottage. Ideal for investment or second home. Views across the fields & convenient location to Clare.

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**Clare £160,000**

2 Bedroom end of terrace cottage. Ideal for investment or second home. Views across the fields & convenient location to Clare.

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**Toppesfield £209,995**

Well presented 3 bedroom semi detached house in the sought after village of Toppesfield. With views to the front and rear extending over the Essex countryside.

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**Ovington Guide Price £390,000**

\*GUIDE PRICE £390,000-£425,000\* 4 bedroom detached property in a beautiful setting. Refitted kitchen with utility, lounge, dining room, study, ensuite to master bedroom and set in a 1/3 Acre plot.

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**Kedington £300,000**

GUIDE PRICE £300,000-£325,000 Unique 2/3 bedroom detached bungalow. The property benefits from a country style fitted kitchen/diner, lounge, sunroom, 2 bedrooms with ensuites, sitting room/bedroom 3,

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**Clare £249,995**

Bychoice Estate Agents are delighted to offer for sale this detached family home on the ever popular Heights Developments. The property benefits from four bedrooms, kitchen, dining room, ground floor wc. Integral garage & driveway. Internal viewings are highly recommended

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**Stoke By Clare £159,995**

Quaint 2 bedroom Grade II listed cottage in Stoke By Clare. The property offers a wealth of original features, well proportioned lounge & kitchen. There is also a decent sized rear garden.

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**Ovington £525,000**

A detached residence situated on a corner plot extending to over 1/3 of an acre (etc). The property was originally four cottages dating back to the late 1800s and has been rendered in recent years.

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**Belchamp Otten £248,000**

Well presented 3 bedroom semi detached house in Belchamp Otten. Backing onto open fields & accommodation comprises of 3 bedrooms, lounge, garden room & new contemporary kitchen breakfast room.

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**Great Yeldham £159,995**

Well presented 3 bedroom terrace house in Great Yeldham. The property benefits from a lounge, kitchen/diner, utility room, 3 well proportioned bedrooms and rear garden.

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**Ridgewell £325,000**

Bychoice are pleased to offer this 4 bedroom chalet bungalow with annexe potential. The accommodation is very flexible & offers 4 good size bedrooms, kitchen breakfast room, lounge which affords fantastic views, dining room & garden room. There is also a mature rear garden & garage.

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Haverhill

£1,200 PCM

Bychoice are delighted to offer this 5 bedroom detached home with 4 bathrooms on the Cambridge side of town. It benefits from an entrance hall, lounge, dining room, kitchen/ Breakfast room, cloakroom, off road parking.

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Wickhambrook

£850 PCM

\* Available Sept - Unfurnished \*

Bychoice are delighted to offer this extended detached bungalow in a cul de sac with field views. It benefits from 4 bedrooms, entrance porch, lounge, kitchen/dining room, ensuite shower room, family bathroom, gardens, parking & garage. We highly recommend viewing

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Stoke By Clare

£950 PCM

\* Available August - Unfurnished \*

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# Jaguar delivers satisfaction

JAGUAR has raced to the top of a car dealership customer satisfaction table, writes Peter Woodman.

The luxury car company's dealer network scored a satisfaction figure of 86.1 per cent in a survey by American company JD Power, which was published by *What Car?*

Second in the 27-company table was Lexus (83.6 per cent), with Toyota (82.4 per cent) third and Mercedes-Benz (82.3 per cent) fourth.

Ford (77.3 per cent), Mini (77.2 per cent) and Vauxhall (77.1 per cent) were all near the foot of the table, which was based on responses from nearly 15,000 customers who had had a car service at their dealership in the last 12 months on vehicles bought between January 2009 and December 2010.

*What Car?* editor-in-chief Chas Hallett says: "The survey clearly shows that Jaguar dealers have the most friendly, helpful staff, and the best

## Survey discloses favourite dealerships in the UK



Jaguar: XF, XJ and XK model ranges have been huge successes.

facilities and workmanship.

"Customer satisfaction is not just about the product, it's about the whole package, and Jaguar is delivering."

He adds: "This survey also shows that lots of dealers are doing a good job but some still have a lot of work to do."

"Car buyers are spending a lot of money and should have

the confidence that they will get the same standards of service as the best retail outlets on the high street.

"These opinions, from people who have lived with their cars and experienced these dealers for some time, show that this is not always the case."

The top ten dealership

satisfaction scores were:

1. Jaguar 86.1%
2. Lexus 83.6%
3. Toyota 82.4%
4. Mercedes-Benz 82.2%
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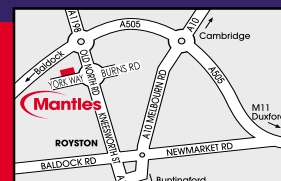


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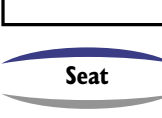
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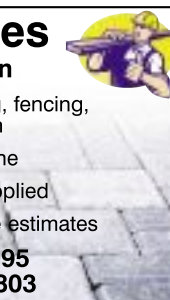
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## &gt;&gt; Golf

# Ellis the champion

ELLIS Brown is the junior club champion at Haverhill.

He won the scratch competition in the CAB Edwards Juniors Club Championship with a gross score of 152, firing rounds of 78 and 74 in the 36-hole competition.

Brown was also second in the handicap section, his scores of 68 and 64 leaving him on 132, 12 adrift of the runaway winner Ollie Fish.

He carded two amazing rounds of 60 and, under the new exceptional scores reduction system, has had his handicap slashed by six to 15.

Junior captain Liam Merritt was second in the scratch competition (79+75, 154) with Michael Perrett third (77+79, 156).

Third place in the handicap section went to Ollie Stevenson (68+65, 133).

Alice Iron, the club's junior girls' captain, also shot two commendable nett rounds of 70+70, 140, and has had her handicap reduced to 20.

■ Neil Farlie won the R

Woolmer Greens Trophy, the competition restricted to competitors over the age of 18 playing off a handicap limit of 18.

He fired an excellent 75-8-67 while club junior Lewis Whiting had the lowest gross score of 71 – reducing his handicap by a shot to four – to win the August medal.

**Details – Division One:** 1 Lewis Whiting 71-5-66 on countback from 2 Russell Palmer 74-8(i)-66, 3 Neil Farlie 75-8-67 on countback.

**Division Two:** 1 Mitchell Davis 82-15-67 on countback from 2 Darren Lyons 81-14-67, 3 Brian Jones 85-16-59.

**Division Three:** 1 John Vale 94-27-67, 2 John Annand 90-21-69, 3 Martin Turner 98-27-71.

■ John Carr came out top in the August IFF Challenge, with a nine under par 45pts, reducing his handicap by three shots.

**Details, Division One –** 1 Michael Bennett 40pts, 2 Eric Armstrong 38pts oncount back from 3 Lewis Whiting.

**Division Two:** 1 John Carr 45pts, 2 Allen O'Donoghue 40pts, 3 Jim Day 40pts on countback. **Division Three:** 1 Kelvin Ellam 42 pts, 2 Nigel Farenden 38pts on countback from Graham Hepworth.



Prize guys: Ollie Fish (left), junior captain Liam Merritt (centre) and Ellis Brown after the trophy presentation at Haverhill.

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## &gt;&gt; Football

## Spot-on Willett seals title win

WICKHAMBROOK preserved their unbeaten pre-season run with victory in the Cherry Hinton tournament. But they had to come through a nerve-racking penalty shoot-out before getting their hands on the trophy at the competition for under-17s.

Wickhambrook opened with a comfortable 4-1 defeat of Soham Town Rangers. Harry Willett laid the foundation with two goals while Sam Langham and Jack Whiting got one each, the latter's strike being a stunning volley. They then brushed aside hosts Cherry Hinton 6-0, James Percy opening the scoring with a tremendous left-foot drive before Willett added two more before the break.

The second-half scoring was dominated by Tom Pinker, who netted a hat-trick – all from inside the six-yard box. In the final, Wickhambrook again came up against Soham, although this time it was a much closer affair and their rivals took the lead.

Wickhambrook equalised before half time through James Percy and then laid siege to the Soham goal after the break. Both Percy and Ross Whiting had the ball in the Soham net only for their efforts to be chalked off for offside. Whiting hit the bar and then Percy and Willett had shots cleared off the line in the same attack.

Extra time could not break the 1-1 deadlock, but keeper Richard Padmore gave Wickhambrook the ideal boost when he saved Soham's first penalty in the shoot-out after Percy had converted. Neither side missed after that – Kieran O'Neill, Pinker and Whiting all converting – before skipper Willett, the side's player of the tournament, strode up to net the decider and complete a 5-3 scoreline.

## &gt;&gt; Cricket

## Haverhill inching towards safety

NIGEL Brunning grabbed five wickets in Haverhill's abandoned home encounter with struggling Lakenheath in Division One of the Marshall Hatchick Two Counties League.

Paul Pallant struck 45 as the visitors were dismissed for 143, Brunning claiming 5 for 35 and Amit Gupta 3 for 39.

Bill Moran had reached 20 not out when the hosts' reply was halted at 38 for 2 after 11 overs.

However, the 11 points they received on a day when only one game was completed – that virtually condemning Exning to Division Two – have helped them inch away from the relegation zone.

Haverhill travel to fourth-placed Frinton on Saturday, while the seconds are at home to Melton St Audrys in Division Six and the third team are at home to Lakenheath II in Division 8W.

■ Weston Colville's clash against Abington in Division Two of the Tucker Gardner Cambs and Hunts Premier League also fell foul of the weather.

Weston Colville had posted 197 and Abington were 49 without loss when the heavens opened.

■ Horseheath were saved by the rain after Great Shelford piled on the runs in their Mr Cricket CCA Senior League, Division One clash.

Shelford skipper Noel Smith admitted he and Paul Mortlock were involved in their own personal runs battle, the former cracking 98 and the latter 94 as they battle it out to be the side's leading scorer.

Shelford were 245 for 7 when it rained.

■ Balsham have leapfrogged Helions Bumpstead into second place in Division 3W of the Adams Harrison Midweek League.

They crushed their rivals for runners-up spot behind already-promoted Linton and then held off Mill Green.

In the top-of-the-table battle, Micheal Clayden hit 29 as Helions Bumpstead posted 87 for 4, three of the victims falling to Jack Squires who then played the support role with 27 as Evan Gard blasted Balsham to a 10-wicket win with 59.

Matt Sherry (47) and Steve Saunders (28) then helped Balsham to 114 for 3 against Mill Green, who got to 108 for 5 in reply (James Haylock 36).

**Division 3W:** Balsham 88 for 0 (E Gard 59, J Squires 27 and 3 for 20, 11.2ov; 20pts) Helions Bumpstead 87 for 4 (M Clayden 29, 16ov; 4pts), Linton 105 for 5 (J Spencer 31, A Polley 3 for 23, 16ov; 20pts) Ashdon 90 for 7 (16ov; 6pts), Balsham 114 for 3 (M Sherry 47, S Saunders 28, 16ov; 20pts) Mill Green 108 for 5 (J Haylock 36, 16ov; 6pts), Helions Bumpstead 124 for 5 (J Manning 25, C Lewis 48, 16ov; 20pts) Wrattling Lions 104 for 5 (R Doviston 49, 16ov; 7pts), Ashdon 101 for 3 (B Brown 41 not out, 12ov; 20pts) Sawston II 76 for 4 (12ov; 5pts).

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## » Football

### Hard going as Wratting run comes to a halt



WEST Wratting's promising start to the Kershaw League, Premier Division campaign was ended by two straight home defeats. Brian Pilgrim's side lost 3-2 to Hardwick on Saturday before going down 1-0 against newly-promoted Sawston on Tuesday. Hardwick went 2-0 up and had a penalty saved by Dave Dickson after Adam Murphy committed a foul inside the area. John Santry reduced the deficit for the hosts before Andy Eady equalised. But Hardwick, who

went into the game on the back of three successive losses, snatched the winner five minutes from time, their goals coming from Jack Chandler, Gareth Daniels and Luke Seaber-Shinn. Manager Pilgrim said: "They were a better side than us on the day. They just stopped us playing, but because they worked so hard, it nearly back-fired in the last 10 minutes as they were tired. "Every single one of their players pressed the ball as soon as we got it and gave us no time to settle and play our game."

James Carman settled matters for Sawston with a first-half goal in their victory over Wratting. Pilgrim said: "We only had six players there at 6pm – 15 minutes before kick-off – but we started late and it was a shambles at the start." Wratting will be aiming to bounce back at Foxton on Saturday. **Above – Sawston scorer James Carman (in purple) still manages to put pressure on the West Wratting goal despite being outnumbered.** Picture: David Johnson. SP0855003

## » Motorsport

### Paffett in a spin but still stays top

GARY Paffett endured a frustrating Zandvoort round in the German Touring Car Masters (DTM), finishing seventh.

However, the silver lining to the Haverhill driver's black cloud was that he continues to lead the standings.

Paffett was in fourth place when he was tapped into a spin by Martyn Tomczyk on lap 28, an incident that ended any hopes of finishing on the podium. He still leads team-mate Jamie Green by 16 points, and the manner in which he rescued a difficult situation, climbing back through the field to finish seventh, provided some scope for optimism.

"While it's disappointing to be coming away with seventh, we can be pleased with the fact we recovered well from a racing incident that was out of our control," he said.

"Unfortunately we were looking good for at least a podium finish – if not a win – and this would have helped me extend my championship lead."

After a difficult qualifying session, Paffett started the race in eighth place. But despite tricky conditions caused by an earlier rain shower, Paffett took advantage of a safety car period and an efficient pit stop to move his Thomas Sabo Mercedes C-Coupe into third.

He dropped back to fourth after the second round of stops but was then hit from behind by Tomczyk, dropping down to 11th.

Paffett pushed hard for the remainder of the race and climbed another four places, despite losing rear grip as a result of damage caused in the earlier incident.

However, he took encouragement from the fact his car is still well on the pace of his rivals.

"Although my championship lead has been reduced over the last two races, it has not been because of our performance which has been really strong," he said.

"We head to the next race (Oschersleben on September 16) confident of a good result and extending our lead."

# We're Shale-shocked

**Basildon United 1 Haverhill Rovers 0**  
FA Cup, preliminary round

A LAST-GASP goal from a towering player condemned Haverhill Rovers to an early exit from the FA Cup.

As the thunder rumbled and lightning flashed overhead, the giant Paul Shale rose to head home a 87th minute corner and give the home side victory just as a replay looked likely.

Rovers had the majority of the possession in the game, but created few clear cut chances. Jack Higgs curled a ninth-minute shot over the bar, and four minutes later Jamie Challis' effort was parried by Steve Brown in the Basildon goal.

Rovers' debut-making goalkeeper Adam Holloway made his first real save from a free kick after 31 minutes – four minutes before Neil Cogger completed his mazy run with a rasping shot against the Basildon crossbar.

The home side showed a little more attacking intent in the second half, and Holloway was forced to save at the feet of Charlie Brigman early in the second half as they broke quickly following a Haverhill set piece.

Jacob Brown then fired over after fine approach play from Jack Higgs and Tom



**Vital Cog:** Rovers' Neil Cogger makes a break in the Cup game against Basildon. Picture: Gary Brown (CP)

Holdstock, and substitute Holdstock headed just over with 20 minutes remaining.

As the weather turned threatening, the overall temperature of the game started to over-heat and become a little bad-tempered.

And Rovers' mood was not improved when Shale ended their hopes of bringing Basildon back to the New Croft three minutes from time.

■ Rovers set off on the FA Vase trail on Saturday with a trip to Cornard in the first qualifying round.

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